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MUSIC MEMORY CONTEST

□ □ □ NOW BEING CONDUCTED BY GRAYLING PUBLIC SCHOOLS □ □ □

A music memory contest is being conducted in the Grayling schools under direction of Miss Gneich, teacher of music and art. This is being done says Miss Gneich, to instill among the pupils of the school a taste for the better class of music. The contest will begin Nov. 20 and end March 22, 1923. One or two selections will be studied each week, along with the life of the composer.

Object of the Contest.

That the popular music of the present day is of a low standard is the fault of parents and educators. Standards are formed from what is constantly brought to the attention. If good, vile, attractive music of a high type can be brought before our pupils repeatedly, they will respond to it readily. This has been proved in many successful Music Memory Contests in Michigan. The resultant interest in good music on the part of both pupils and parents has been nothing short of remarkable. A pupil may not be destined to become a composer or a performer but he may be a good listener and thus master an art, which, if not acquired in youth, is most frequently not acquired at all. Van Dyke says truly, "Wines get into the body, but jazz gets into the soul." Foreign children are musical because they hear good music from birth. America can surely give the young people surroundings that are as musical because they can inspire like other nations, less secure and affluent. At the present time a Music Memory Contest seems to furnish the most practicable plan for making good music familiar to our young people. The study for the first week, which is now being conducted is Mendelssohn and the following is some of the information that will be given the school for study:

Study for the week ending Dec. 1. Mendelssohn: German; 1809-1847. Mendelssohn was born in Hamburg, Germany, of Jewish parents who adopted Christianity. From childhood he was surrounded with wealth and given every opportunity for education and travel. As in many cases, he showed his talent very early, making a public appearance as player at 9. At 14 he wrote the "Rondo Capriccioso," and at 17 the "Overture to Midsummer-

night's Dream." The Mendelssohn home at Berlin was an intellectual center, the resort of statesmen, scholars and artists. Mendelssohn had an animated and winning personality. He enjoyed dancing and society and was fond of out-of-door life. Mendelssohn won fame both as an organist and orchestral conductor and as composer. He was one of the most beloved musicians of the German Romantic school. His music is melodious and of a romantic character, but in classical form. He established a conservatory at Leipzig. Among his best works are the "Songs Without Words," the oratorios of St. Paul and Elijah, the Scotch symphony and a number of overtures.

This is a song of the springtime, a poetic thought expressed through the medium of lyrics, a dramatization of a mood rather than a definite program of occurrences. This perennial song of spring is easily the best known light classic in existence. It is indeed the very spirit of the springtime, for when depressed it can bring back the very joy of living as the spring brings back the flowers and leaves to the brown gray mother earth.

Classes Open to Citizens.

In order to broaden the scope of the work in Grayling, citizens may partake in the music memory contests. Arrangements may be made by applying to Miss Gneich. Arrangements are being made to have musical selections that are to be studied, played in churches on Sundays and also at the Opera house. Prizes will be offered, more particulars of which will be published later. Under the above caption articles about the authors and selections of study will appear in these columns each week during the continuation of the contest.

MEETING TO AMEND BOARD OF TRADE BY-LAWS.

Notice is hereby given that a meeting for the purpose of amending section 1 of article 2 of the by-laws of the Grayling Board of Trade relative to dues, will be held on Tuesday night, December 19, 1922 at the Board of Trade rooms. All members are requested to be present. 11-23-4

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BOARD OF TRADE ELECTS OFFICERS

LARGE PROGRAM PLANNED FOR COMING YEAR.

The annual meeting and election of officers of the Board of Trade was held in the club rooms Tuesday night. There was a good attendance and much spirited interest shown.

Before the election of members of the board of directors, considerable business was finished up and reports made by the secretary-treasurer and standing committees.

Much discussion was aroused when a proposal was made to reduce the membership fee and annual dues. A few believed that \$15.00 a year is too much to pay, especially for those who are not actively engaged in business. After much discussion it was a general opinion that \$15.00 per year should be paid by all business and professional men and those holding public office, either elective or appointed, but that for working men and those not engaged in a business or profession the fee should be reduced.

Meeting to Amend Constitution. Therefore in order to legally change the annual dues the matter will be taken up at the regular meeting that will be held Tuesday, December 19, when an amendment to the constitution will be considered.

Board of Directors. The following directors were elected to serve two years: M. Hanson, Herluf Sorenson, Dr. C. A. Canfield, C. M. Moritt and Melvin A. Bates. The above together with the following compose the board of directors for the ensuing year: Holger F. Peterson, T. P. Peterson, Holger Hanson, B. E. Smith and.....

Directors Elect Officers. After the adjournment of the meeting the directors convened and elected the following officers:

Holger F. Peterson, president.

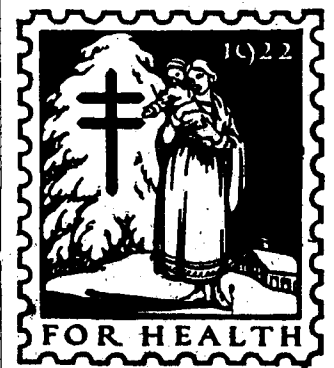
Holger Hanson, vice president.

B. E. Smith, Secretary-treasurer.

President Peterson who has served at the head of the organization for the 1st year, declined to accept the election for another year, saying that he was busy with his duties as postmaster and also claimed that certain business men say that they will not join the organization just as long as he is at the head of it. The directors assured Mr. Peterson that they wanted him to continue the work he has started by remaining as president for another year, and believed that he was accomplishing much for the good of the community and assured him that they were behind him in his efforts, after which he finally consented to accept the election, which was unanimous.

Among the several topics that were discussed during the evening were those of reckless auto driving in town, especially fast driving when crossing intersecting streets and corners and school yards and other places where children may be playing; driving without lights; autos overloaded with young people, racing up and down the streets.

Also the matter of resuming ringing of the curfew bell was discussed, and the apparent need of keeping young children off the streets was very evident. Several accounts of young people, especially young school girls, being on our streets after the hours of 10:00 o'clock on as late as 2:00 a. m. were told. The men requested Mayor Canfield to look up the curfew law in Grayling, if there is one and to ask the night marshal to enforce it, assuring him of the backing of the members of the Board of Trade.



CHRISTY MATHEWSON APPEARS ON SCREEN.

Christy Mathewson, America's base ball hero, will lend his aid to the cause of tuberculosis work during the coming tuberculosis Christmas seal sale.

The favorite of ball fans contracted tuberculosis after his return from service overseas, and spent several months undergoing treatment at the famous sanatorium at Saranac Lake. Recently, he was discharged from Saranac as cured and has been in splendid condition, with no recurrence of the disease, since then.

So grateful is Mathewson for his recovery that he has appeared in a short film dealing with his fight against, and victory over, tuberculosis. The picture is entitled "Matty Wins His Greatest Game" and closes with an appeal by the baseball star for the support of the public in the coming Christmas seal sale.

The Michigan Tuberculosis Association has already released the film to the following cities: Detroit, Jackson, Adrian, Lakeview, Menominee, Howell, Alma and Mt. Pleasant.

This picture will also be shown at the Opera House some time in December. Christmas seals have already arrived and will be on sale the first week in December.

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P.O.P.

BOTTLE OF FRESH NOOSE

Sheila Lacka. Jacka Lacka. Rubberoid and paint. Haa-Beens. Would Bees. Well I guess we ain't like a doiler. Hear us holler. ZIS! BOOM! BAIL. GRAYLING HIGH SCHOOL. LAH! RAH! RAH!

Let's have a mass meeting and get things started.

Patch Ball has been played by Miss Gideon's 7th and 8th hour gym classes. They have played a series of games and are now playing the finals. Much spirit is shown.

A musical entertainment was given by Miss Gneich's musical branches Friday p. m. in the auditorium. The program was as follows:

Violets—Orchestra. Swing Song—Glee Club. Pretty Bird—Billie Jameson. The Old Oaken Bucket—Glee Club. H. S. Song—Glee Club. Hot Lips—Orchestra.

A number of parents were present. The entertainment was enjoyed by all.

Oui. Oui. The French classes are corresponding with French students abroad.

Who do we want for cheer leader? Got a suggestion? If so spill it out. And let's go.

Lyceum Course tickets on sale at reduced prices. Adults—\$1.25, Children—80c.

The English Literature classes are studying the development of the Elizabethan Drama and as the "Passion Play" of Oberammergau, is the only existing form of miracle drama of the 13th century, Miss Bellows gave a very interesting talk on it, showing the pictures of the play as she saw it in Germany this summer.

Miss Gideon, (In Library)—Have you the Literary Digest? Lipman, (Librarian)—No, nothing but Wrigley's and Beeman's.

Miss Fuller, in General Science—Name the seasons. Agnes Hanson—Pepper, Salt, Vinegar.

Marion has composed a sonnet. The first line is—Edgar D. Edgar D. Edgar D. All the other lines are like this one.

A short man looking up sees further than a tall man looking down. Cheer up Lyle.

Most pleasant event—Junior Hop. Most unpleasant event—Quarterly examinations. Most amusing event—G. H. S. Basketball team defeating Frederic.

Coach Brown's Hoboes will probably play the Alba H. S. quintet on Dec. 15th.

Funny. Ridiculous. Entertaining. Simple. Humorous. Melodious. Interesting. Notorious. That spells "Freshmen."

Miss Gideon—When did Moses live? Silence. Miss Gideon—Open your books. You see at the top of page 21, Moses 400 B. C., don't you? Archie—I thought that was his telephone number.

Let's get some spirit and have a Mass Meeting. What dy'e say? Eleanor—Are you going to graduate this year? Kristine—Yes. Eleanor—Are you going to teach school or get married? Kristine—Well, I'm not going to teach school.

Our Basketball Team. The Basketball Team of G. H. S. is a team that bears the Rep. All they lack is science, ability and pep.

They have a nifty center. Mr. Hanson is his name. If you saw him shooting baskets, You'd think courtship was his game. They have two wicked forwards, Mr. Landsberg and Mr. Brown. If they had girls for opposition they might possibly hold them down. Lipman plays a real nice game. Science is all he lacks. If they paid him a thousand a basket. They couldn't collect income tax. But he has as much ability as Mr. Emerson Brown. For when he is dressed in a basket ball suit, He looks like a circus clown. Edgar McPherson is a star guard. They say he has the class. But I never saw him move in a game. So I don't know if he's fast. But to judge from his appearance, No one could hold him down. For in his eyes there is a sparkle, And on his face a frown. Mr. Ingalls who guards with him, Has about his rate of speed, But you know when they pick such, They're very much in need. Of Matson and Mr. Brenner, Who act as substitutes, I have nothing to say of them as players.

But they look very good in their suits. Let's show the person who wrote this just what the B. E. boys are made of.

A blot in my life said the author

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MANY TO ATTEND OCEAN CUT DRIVE

DELEGATES FROM 16 STATES TO TAKE PART IN MILWAUKEE CONFERENCE.

DISCUSS EXPORT RAIL RATES

Interest of Every Producer and Distributor Depends Upon Easy Outlet to Sea.

Washington, D. C.—The department of commerce will be represented at the Middle West Merchant Marine and Foreign Trade conference to be held at Milwaukee, Wis., November 27 and 28 next. E. S. Gregg, chief of the division of transportation, will be one of the speakers. E. C. Plummer, commissioner of the United States Shipping board, will be another. Matthew Hale, of Greenville, S. C., and Washington, president of the South Atlantic States Association, will also address the gathering.

The conference is under the joint auspices of the Middle West Merchant Marine committee and the Milwaukee Association of Commerce. Leading commercial organizations in 16 of the middle western states comprising the upper half of the Mississippi valley have sent their acceptance. States they represent include West Virginia, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Michigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota, North and South Dakota, Missouri, Kentucky, Iowa, Kansas, Nebraska, Oklahoma and Tennessee.

Malcolm Stewart of the Cincinnati Chamber of Commerce and chairman of the Middle West Merchant Marine committee, who was in Washington, said that the interest of every producer, dealer and distributor in the interior was dependent upon maintaining an open and easy outlet to the sea and in developing new sources of foreign trade.

"The program for the conference includes a general discussion of export rail rates from points in the middle west to north Atlantic, south Atlantic and gulf ports," said Stewart, "and the co-ordination of those rail rates with ocean freight rates. We of the middle west foresee a large expansion of foreign trade and we feel that the country soon will need every possible outlet to handle the freight for abroad."

IRISH TREATY DECLARED VOID

DeValera's Republican Dail Defies Provisional Government.

Dublin—Dail Eireann's approval of the treaty of January 7 is revoked and any act "purporting to be done thereunder is void," is declared in a proclamation issued by the so-called Republican Dail.

Members of the provisional government and the adherents of the Free State all are classified as rebels in this document, which is signed by Eammon De Valera.

It explains that the treaty was endorsed under duress and the threat of renewed war by Great Britain and it therefore could not be binding on the republic.

Where and when this dail met and who attended it are not known.

NEW HOME FOR EASTERN STAR

Grand Chapter Decides on Headquarters at Washington.

Washington—The grand chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star, in session here, decided to establish a permanent international headquarters here, and at the election of officers, selected Mrs. Cora R. Franz, of Florida, as worthy grand matron, and Dr. Will W. Gray, of Missouri, as worthy grand patron. The decision to make the international headquarters in Washington included action looking to the construction of a monumental temple which, it was estimated, may cost above \$2,000,000.

STATE POTATO CROP INCREASED

Michigan Produced 10,656,000 Bushels and Ranks Second.

Lansing—Michigan produced 10,656,000 bushels more of potatoes this year than in 1921, according to figures made public Monday by Verne H. Church, federal agricultural statistician.

The production this year was 37,856,000 bushels, compared with 27,200,000 bushels in 1921.

In total production this year, Michigan ranked second in potato producing states of the country. Wisconsin was first with 39,360,000 bushels.

as the fountain pen leaked all over his autobiography.

Cavalry Sergeant (to Emerson Brown) I told you never to approach a horse from the rear without speaking to him. The first thing you know they'll knock you on the head and then we'll have a bunch of lame horses on our hands.

Miss Hainline—What is the equation?

Albert—A menagerie lion running around the world.

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FARM BUREAU NOTES

R. D. BAILBY County Agricultural Agent

LIMESTONE LEGUMES LIVESTOCK

MEAN PROFITS IN FARMING

Points of Progress.

This has not been a great money-making year in Crawford county; yet, we are doubtless better off than some of us realize.

Farmers have had their living, food, fuel and house rent. Manual laborers, living in cities, have netted little more.

In addition to that the soil, buildings, grounds, and stock of a farmer of gumption have had a chance to improve.

In the city, when things are slack, the laborer must be content merely to exist. His only means of going ahead lies in night study of his job, or day practice at it, to become more efficient in it.

On the other hand, on the farm, the farmer not only lives on as good scale as the city laborer, but, can have, if he has gumption, a far better living. In the slackest times there is no reason why the farmer up here should not have an abundance of dry fuel, winter or summer. To provide even fuel, in slack times in the city, may be no small thing for the man out of work or working irregularly.

Besides abundant fuel, even though he may not apparently make a cent, see how well the farmer of gumption and foresight can provide for his table.

There can be the best potatoes, the year around. To this can be added a long list of other vegetables. There need never be a time when there is not meat, fresh beef or pork, sausage, ham, bacon, salt pork, corned beef in endless succession.

Much fresh meat can be canned and kept fresh. He is a poor manager of his poultry who does not have eggs and chicken pie or fried chicken when he wants.

Let a farmer move to the city and buy for a year the milk, eggs, butter, cream and dressed poultry that are used so freely on the farm with little thought of cost, and he will be ready to move back to the farm.

The house that may not seem very much will be appreciated more after paying \$45 to \$60 a month rent in the city.

Think of the cream used on the farm, that in the city costs 80 to 90 cents a quart.

Think of the strawberries that can be picked from the home garden!

You've got to be doing pretty well, in the city, to own a car and, own a place to store it. If you rent storage there, it costs you \$5 to \$10 a month. Taking the other side of the question, I claim that times are never so hard, nor sale of farm products so slow or low priced that a progressive minded farmer cannot gain some ground.

There need never be a year so dull in which the farmer, besides having an abundant table and comfortable fires, cannot increase the value of his farm, and its potential power, by improving its fertility; for, a farm should improve in fertility while being used.

Beef may be down to almost nothing, and potatoes next to nothing; yet, at that very time, there may be a crop of calves dropped on the farm, and every calf better in quality than the year before (if the farmer has gumption.)

Oh, of course, if the farmer goes around hollering about the government, and everybody's being a crook and grafter, and sullenly refuses to do anything for himself, he won't gain any ground.

There's nothing in a hard year to

(Continued to last page.)

SCHOOLS INVITED TO SEND IN SCHOOL NOTES.

Considerable interest is being taken in the school news that has been published weekly of the Grayling schools and also the rural schools. Especially is this true among the school pupils themselves. They enjoy reading about what they and other school pupils are doing.

A cordial invitation is extended to teachers of all schools in the county to send in their school notes if they care to. The AVALANCHE will be pleased to publish them. Have copy reach this office not later than Tuesday each week and earlier if convenient.

IS RETRENCHMENT UNPOPULAR?

There has always been a question in political circles whether reduction of Government expenses is a popular thing. The Republican Congress has sought every possible opportunity to reduce the high scale of expenses inherited from the Democratic regime, but the number of Republicans who were retired from Congress indicates that the retrenchment program may not be meeting popular approval. However, the Republicans will probably go on with the slashing of expenses even if it costs them the election of 1924.

GOOD PRICES PAID FOR FURS.

I will pay the highest market price for furs. I assure everyone a square deal in grading. This will be a good year for trappers. I have already purchased more furs this season than I did in two months of last year. This proves that trappers are satisfied to bring their furs to me.

FRANK DRESE, GRAYLING.

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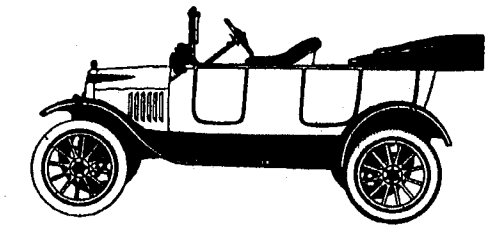
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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 1922.

THE NEGLECTED CURFEW.

We believe the Board of Trade Tuesday night was strictly within its province when it urged a more strict enforcement of the curfew law, according to village ordinance No. 23 of the Village of Grayling.

This ordinance states, in part, that it is the duty of the village marshal to ring the curfew bell at 7:45 p. m. and to see that all children under fifteen years of age, unless accompanied by their parent or legal guardian or are in possession of a written permit duly signed by such parent or guardian, are off the streets at 8 o'clock at night otherwise such child shall be deemed a violator of such ordinance.

And such ordinance further holds responsible the parents or guardians for the neglect of such child under penalty of a fine of \$100.00, and in default of payment of such fine, be imprisoned in the county jail for the period of ninety days.

The enforcement of this law appears to have been a disappointing task, due largely, it appears, to the lack of cooperation on the part of the parents with the village officers. We believe that if there ever was a time when drastic enforcement of this law was necessary, it is now. When conservative thinking men and women, not fanatics, report tales of seeing and hear-

be happy and parents proud of their boys and girls.
It will take courage to enforce the curfew law but we doubt not that it will be worthy of every effort we can make.

OUR MAJOR INTERESTS IN ASIA MINOR.

Those who have been urging this government to take a hand in affairs in Asia Minor should note the list of American interests in that region drawn up by Secretary Hughes. The first of seven principal subjects of American concern is "The maintenance of capitulations which may be essential to the appropriate safeguarding of the non-Moslem minorities." The second of those subjects is "The protection under proper guarantees, philanthropic, educational, and religious institutions."

It is apparent that the protection of Christian interests in Asia Minor is uppermost in the mind of the administration, but there are certain limits beyond which we cannot go in extending that protection. It would be reckless folly to involve the United States in a foreign war for such an object. The misery and suffering brought by such a move would exceed a thousand times over the distresses of the situation it sought to remedy. In indicating to the powers about to assemble in the Lausanne conference the attitude of the United States, the administration has gone as far as sound judgment dictates.

MAPLE FOREST ITEMS.

Our eighth grade in District No. 3 have completed sectional maps of the United States.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Parsons have the sympathy of the community in the loss of their baby.

Mrs. W. G. Feldhauser and Mrs. Clark Yost returned Wednesday from an auto trip thru the southern part of the state.

Harold Anderson and Warren Val had left last week for a motor trip thru the south.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Dallair returned last week after spending a few days in Bay City.

Mr. Everett Uter left last week for Akron, Ohio where he will spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. John Q. Roberts spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Archie Howse.

Mrs. Robert Feldhauser and Mrs. Ed. Feldhauser were Grayling callers Tuesday.

The road between the Edmund's school and Jim Knibb's hill is being graded. We appreciate the fine detail.

Mr. Bailey called on the people of our community Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Verlinde have the sympathy of the community in the loss of their baby.

There is to be a meeting Wednesday at the town hall where a lady from M. A. C. will talk to the people on "Home Management." A pot-luck dinner will be served at noon.

Most of the farmers of the community have their fall crops in and most of the fall plowing done.

School is to be dismissed at noon Wednesday so the children can attend the meeting at the town hall.

We are to have a moving picture show at the town hall in the near future.

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SILVER FOX SHOW IN MUSKEGON DEC. 6-8.

The Third Annual Live Silver Fox Show to be held by the National Silver Fox Breeders' Association of America, at Muskegon, Mich., December 6-7-8 promises to be the largest and best that has yet been held. Entries are being received from Fox Breeders in all parts of the Northern United States and no doubt there will be some from Alaska.

The Annual meeting of the Association is held during the convention, and the various officers are elected for the following year.

Interest in this new industry is growing rapidly and is spreading to all parts of the United States that are adapted to the raising of these animals that produce the most beautiful and exclusive of furs.

A few years ago bankers and other prominent business men were skeptical about the business and considered it a gold brick scheme, or a bubble that would soon burst, but to-day those same men have begun to realize that the Silver Fox industry is a good sound business proposition that is far more profitable and no more hazardous than the majority of other lines of business.

Michigan is the leading state with Muskegon county as the center of the industry in this country. At the present time this county alone has 40 Silver Fox farms with a total of approximately 4,000 foxes, or nearly as many as all the rest of the United States combined.

Good breeding stock that will pass Advanced Registry requirements is selling for \$1,500 to \$3,000 per pair and raw pelts from animals of this quality bring from \$400 to \$1,000 each on the auction sales, although inferior skin from cull foxes very often bring a much lower price.

MOVING PICTURES FOR FARMERS.

County Agent R. D. Bailey will put his new moving picture machine into use beginning next week, for the benefit of our farming communities. These shows are free and will be held:

Monday, Nov. 27, Benedict School.
Tuesday, Nov. 28, Frederic H. S.
Wednesday Nov. 29, Sigsbee school.

BEFORE JEFFERSON HAD A SAN.

(Names of places and persons, for obvious reasons, but the incident happened as narrated.)

Dr. Merritt, fresh from the U and new to Jeffersonville, answered his telephone promptly. It was Burroughs, the hotel keeper, a vast, jovial fellow whom the doctor saw on the hotel porch daily, who was calling.

"Gosh, doc," said Burroughs, "I wish you'd come over. Fellow from twenty miles out in the jack-pines just drove in here and left his boy for the doctor, and asked me to send for the doctor, and before I could say 'Boo' he hit the horse a crack and he was gone. And the boy—he ain't much more'n a kid—looks as if he was dying now."

Dr. Merritt's patient was still waiting for him on the hotel porch when the young doctor ran up the steps: a good-looking lad, if he had not been so wasted with fever. He was in the most advanced stage of tuberculosis, dying, as Burroughs had said; but since "B" kills his victims by tortured inches, Dr. Merritt foresaw that it might be weeks before death came.

"Edgar Robinson," the young man whispered in reply to the doctor's inquiry as to his name.

"How long have you been sick, Robinson?" inquired the doctor, cheerfully as he could.

"Why, I've been in the house since January; but Dad can't pay doctor's bills, and 'twasn't much but a bad cold, I thought, anyhow. So I just stayed in and kept warm; haven't had much appetite, you know, but I haven't been really sick. There's eight of us in the family, though, and Dad couldn't keep a loafer, any longer, I didn't think, and so I told him, if he'd bring me into town, maybe somebody—" Edgar's eyes glistened hopefully.

Burroughs beckoned the doctor to the end of the porch: "Gosh, I wish I could keep him," he rumbled regretfully. "But I got a duty to the public."

"If there was a hospital—" began the doctor.

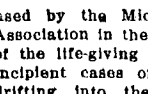
"Ain't any within thirty miles," answered Burroughs. "And that's always full. If there was one of these TB sanatoriums in Jefferson county now—"

"If there was a sanatorium," said the young doctor fiercely, "this never would have happened. That boy could have been saved, six months ago. As it is, I suppose it's the poor farm."

In the end it was not even the poor farm, for the poor commissioner held that he couldn't take care of contagious diseases. So young Merritt and the kind-hearted hotel-keeper built a little shack out in the woods back of the hotel, and between them cared for the forlorn young patient, until, three weeks later, he died.

"And I'll stay here," vowed Merritt, the night Robinson went, "till I see Jefferson county with a san. or they run me out."

Jefferson—or whatever its real name is—has a "san" now; already it has done good work, and a field of unbounded usefulness is before it. But in all Michigan there are for its 38,000 consumptives only 2,000 beds. A proportion of the Christmas seal money will be used by the Michigan Tuberculosis Association in the campaign for more of the life-giving sanatoria that save incipient cases of tuberculosis from drifting into the plight of Edgar Robinson.



FOR HEALTH

Lips cracked and sore?
MENTHOLATUM
quickly heals them.

FREDERIC SCHOOL NOTES.

The literary entertainment given Friday evening by the Frederic School was a great success. A large crowd attended.

Mr. Payne says, "Next week I am going to begin to harp about money for the Red Cross."

Gertrude don't let Marguerite see you make goo-goo eyes at Verlie.

We wonder who Miss Craven and Miss Corwin went walking with one evening last week.

Kathryn is wearing a diamond on the third finger of her left hand. Of course we don't mean to tell anything.

Not many more automobile rides for "us kids" this fall, boo, hoo.

Famous Sayings:

"Good-night, Miss Craven." Esther.

"Don't tell pa."—Gertrude.

"I need a hair-cut but I'm broke."—Don.

"Gosh! I hate to talk in class."—Rufus.

"It's ten minutes to eight."—Hazel.

"The vision said: 'Go away.'"—Stella.

Wonder why Robert likes Ancient History.—Everybody.

"Don't get smart yet Lewis, your dad hasn't gone."—Celeste.

"O' Gee! I never woke up in time for history class."—Ethel.

The American Literature class in criticizing Lowell's "Fable for Critics."

The H. C. C. club met with Hazel and Kathryn last Wednesday. Many long articles were discussed.

They were: Powder, puff, crochet, cotton, comb, and bows and baux. We are going to start a searching party towards Deward.

Our new library books are here. No cause for whispering now.

Mr. Payne: (to a very bright Sophomore class.)—There is no sentence without a predicate. Has anyone ever heard one?

York:—I have.

Mr. Payne:—Well, York, what is it?

York:—Thirty days.

Several of the Primary people are absent because of colds.

The second graders have some very pretty sewing cards.

Most of the little people have joined the Junior Red Cross.

Edwina Wucker and Floyd Ensign visited the Primary people last week.

The following explanation of "Phonics" was given by a little girl in the chart class: "It's when the fire bell rings, and we all run outdoors. Then the recess bell rings and we go back in our room."

SOUTH BRANCH SCHOOL NOTES.

We live for those who love us, Whose hearts are kind and true; For the heavens that smile above us, For the good that we can do.

—G. L. Banks.

Miss Judy the county nurse visited us on Friday. The boys were all examined and found to be in fairly good condition.

Teacher, (5th Geography)—"Where is Hamburg?"

Albert Schrieber—"In sandwich of course."

We found out from Robert Funk the other morning that his Arithmetic problems are sticky. We wonder what makes them so.

Our school has joined the Junior Red Cross and is now 100 per cent.

We had school on Saturday this week to make up for a day lost on the second week of school.

Arthur Corwin was absent from school on Friday owing to illness.

Teacher, (in 7th Grammar)—"Pick out the conjunctions in the following sentence:

"The uncouth person dropped on both knees on the pavement, and took her hand in his, and kissed it in passionate gratitude."

Everett Corwin, "Kissed is the conjunction."

Teacher—"Kissed never connected anything."

E. Corwin—"Yes it did, two person's lips."

Charles Corwin, Jr., is absent from school today.

Vella Hermann, teacher.

BEAVER CREEK SCHOOL NOTES.

Thursday and Friday will be a busy day. Don't leave your thinking caps at home.

The first and second grades are making some fine Thanksgiving book-lets.

Miss Blanch Dearly, a guest of Elva Abbott, visited school today.

Clean finger-nails and hands have been greatly noticed this last week. Welcome! Miss Judy.

Warning!!

A week ago last Saturday, two young bandits broke into the school house. Monday morning much to everyone's surprise, several things were found to be missing. Later in the day the bandits were brought back. His stolen goods but several pencils and a fountain pen have not been restored. The other bandit has been found. If this condition occurs again there may be two empty front seats in the room. We hope nothing like that will happen again.

All the mothers are invited to come and enjoy our Thanksgiving program. Our box social will be one of interest. It is for the purpose of raising money for our Service Fund.

Franklin Millikin has returned after two weeks of illness.

Our enrollment has dropped from 31 to 27.

Mr. M. Brenner was a caller last Friday.

A few French phrases are being learned by the fourth grade. They were very much pleased to be able to say, "Bon Soir" and "Où allez-vous."

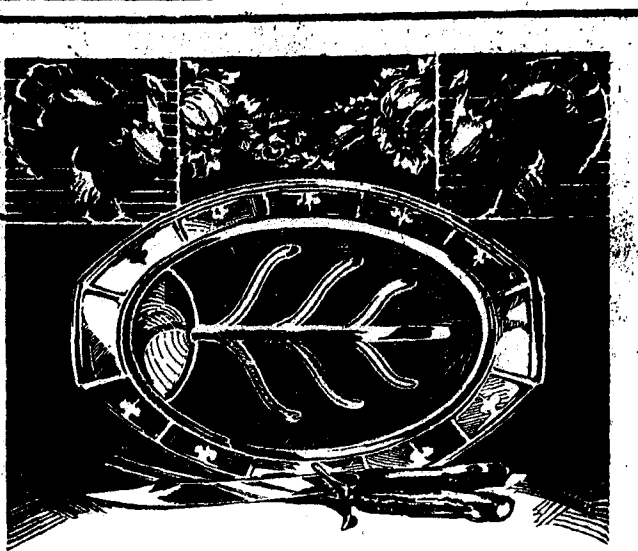
Charlotte Flagg, teacher.

CARD OF THANKS.

This is to assure our friends of our sincere appreciation of the kindness and sympathy extended at the time of the drowning and funeral of our husband and father, Edmund Appelberg. And also for the generous assistance rendered in helping to close up our business matters and our home in Grayling. We shall soon be on our way to Sweden to make our future home and we shall carry with us lasting memories of the many kindnesses extended to us while here.

Sincerely yours,

Mrs. Gerda Appelberg and children.



Thanksgiving It's The Season

when special attention should be given to your Table Service because nothing will add more to the happiness of the occasion than to provide your home with new pieces of silverware.

Then, too, you are giving thought to the family traditions it perpetuates as no other possession can. Silverware is used daily by the entire household—care for as a cherished object, preserved and bequeathed.

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Advertisements will be accepted under this heading at the rate of 5 cents per line. No adv. taken for less than 25 cts. There are about six words to the line.
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LOST—NEAR WATERS, SUNDAY.

November 19, a tire 34x4 and rim. Finder please return same or notify H. Petersen, Grocer, Grayling, Mich., and receive reward.

OR SALE—LARGE UPRIGHT PIANO; mahogany with mahogany box seat; nearly new. Phone 17.

FOR RENT—TEN ROOM HOUSE, furnace, electric lights, garage. Inquire of Reed & Schumann, at the Avalanche Office.

HOUSE FOR RENT—GOOD LOCATION, comfortable and warm. Inquire of Mrs. P. P. Mahoney. Phone 1064.

LOST—GRAY TWEED BELT FROM small boy's overcoat between school house and home. Reward offered. Mrs. L. J. Kraus. 11-23-2.

FOR SALE—ONE HELPING HENRY, One light wagon, One No. 40 Oliver plow, nearly new. 11-23-2. Henry Stephan.

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solicit orders for guaranteed nursery stock. Apply to F. A. Eckenfels. 11-16-3.

FOUND—SUNDAY A SMALL ROSE-ary. Owner may call at this office for same.

FOR RENT—FIVE ROOM HOUSE opposite south side school. Inquire of Mrs. Mary A. Turner.

FOR SALE—AM LEAVING TOWN and have several pieces of furniture for sale. One beautiful dish and linen cupboard and several other good pieces. Mrs. Wm. Duclous. 11-16-3.

FOR SALE—EIGHT ROOM HOUSE two lots, 3 blocks from school house and will sell cheap. Inquire at Avalanche Office. tf.

FOR RENT—HOUSE AND ROOMS. Inquire of M. P. Miller, South side.

STRAYED TO MY INCLOSURE, 1 yearling steer. Owner may have safe by proving property and paying costs and keep. Fred Hartman, Eldorado, Mich.

A TIMELY SUGGESTION.

This is the season of the year when the prudent and careful housewife replenishes her supply of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is almost certain to be needed before the winter is over and results are much more prompt and satisfactory when it is kept at hand and given as soon as the first indication of a cold appears and before it has become settled in the system. There is no danger in giving it to children as it contains no opium or other harmful drug.

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The pride which a former generation found in Studebaker equipage is modernized in the Special-Six Sedan.

This Sedan is built in Studebaker plants, under highest standards of manufacture—the use of the finest materials and most skillful workmanship.

Its fascinating lines are enhanced by artistic paneling, coach lamps and massive headlights. The interior is finished in exquisite taste. There is inviting depth to the nine-inch cushions and a fine harmonizing of upholstery and carpeting.

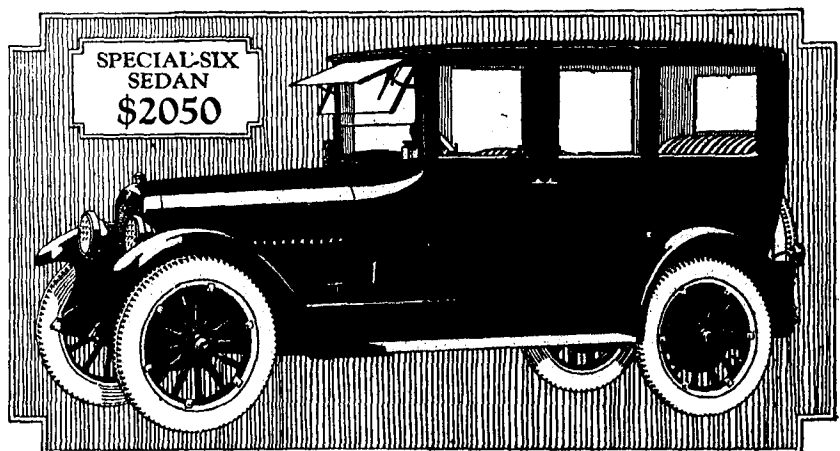
The thorough dependability of the Special-Six with its flexibility, quick acceleration and ample power, carries the endorsement of many thousands of owners.

The four-bearing crankshaft, seven-inch frame with five cross-members, sub-frame supporting the motor and separate unit transmission, rear axle shaft of special alloy steel—these and other Special-Six improvements add greatly to motoring satisfaction.

The Special-Six Sedan well upholds the Studebaker 70-year reputation for business integrity and genuine value.

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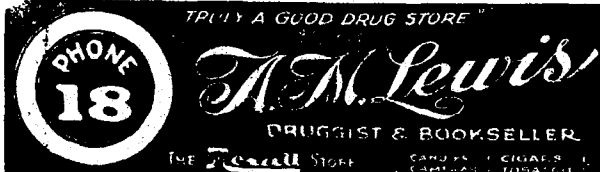


The Doctor is First, of course, in sickness or injury, But—

A Drug Store capable of supplying you with Drugs, Medicines and Sick-Room Goods is also a prime requisite.

THE MORE CRITICAL THE ILLNESS THE GREATER THE NEED

After the Doctor, we offer the most help and relief, so bring your Prescriptions and Ailments to us.



LOCAL NEWS

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 1922.

Prescriptions carefully compounded. Central Drug Store.

Big sale Ladies' Coats at Landsbergs.

Peter Jensen of Milford visited his brothers and sister here over Sunday.

Frank Rockwell of Gaylord was a business caller in Grayling Friday.

Jack Redhead of Lovells was in the city on business Saturday of last week.

Mrs. Byron Newell and children are visiting her mother Mrs. A. B. Foor at Mantion.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gannon entertained the former's mother Mrs. Gannon of Gaylord Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Chappell returned Saturday from Bay City where they had been visiting relatives.

Mrs. D. McDaniels is enjoying a visit from her sister who arrived Monday from St. Thomas, Ontario.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilhelm Rase of Johannesburg visited the latter's parents Mr. and Mrs. Lars Nelson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Letzkus are in Gaylord, owing to the serious illness of the former's mother, Mrs. Clarence Mohn.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Petersen spent Sunday in Johannesburg visiting their daughter, Mrs. Andrew Larson and family.

Arnold Burrows and Russell Cripps motored to Mio Sunday. They visited at the home of the latter's parents Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Cripps.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Yokey and Arnold Yokey and Mrs. Sarah Mier of Saginaw motored to Grayling Saturday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wolcott.

The Ketty & Hanson Flooring Co. mill was closed down a couple of days the latter part of the week, while the large smoke stack was being repaired.

Messrs George and Albert Mayo, who have been employed in Flint came home the latter part of the week to make their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mayo a visit.

Nyal Laxacod. The guaranteed cold remedy. Central Drug Store.

Do your Xmas shopping early at Central Drug Store.

See the women's Converse Russian gaiters. Nothing better. E. J. Olson.

The next regular meeting of Grayling Chapter O. E. S. No. 83 has been postponed until December 6th.

For your Thanksgiving party, have appropriate tally cards, place cards, favors and decorations. Carl W. Peterson, Jeweler.

Everybody is buying a ladies' coat at Landsbergs this season because they are saving money. Why not come in and look them over?

Friday afternoon, December 1st, will be the date of the next meeting of the Ladies Aid Society of the Michigan Memorial church. 2:30 o'clock is the time. All members are expected to be present.

Mrs. Guy Peterson and twin babies were dismissed from Mercy Hospital Tuesday and returned to their home in Johannesburg, her sister Mrs. C. W. Skinner and Mr. and Mrs. Thorwald Peterson accompanying them by auto.

Mrs. Edith Lewis and daughter Mrs. Thelma Moore entertained several friends in honor of the former's father J. L. Baer Saturday night. Mr. Baer was 73 years of age. The grandchildren and great grandchildren were present.

Miss Adele Sancier of Bay City arrived Saturday and is a guest at the home of her sister Mrs. Cletus St. Pierre. Saturday, Miss Sancier will become the bride of Mr. Ronan Flanagan of Saginaw, the wedding to take place in Grayling.

If you desire to renew your membership or contribute towards the Red Cross for another year, you will find buttons and membership receipts at Shoppenagons Inn, Salling Hanson Co. office, Bank of Grayling, Lewis Drug Store and Central Drug Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Serven are enjoying having as their guest, the former's mother Mrs. Etta Serven of Portland, Oregon. Mrs. Serven arrived in Grayling last Wednesday from Flint, where she had been visiting other relatives. She will remain in Grayling for a number of weeks.

Frank Calkins here—Frank Calkins traced the city with his presence again last week on one of his periodic visits back to Michigan. Mr. Calkins spent a part of the past summer in British Columbia and is now stopping at his cottage on the AuSable river. He expects to leave with the advent of cold weather for the Bermuda Islands to spend the winter.

Osage County Herald and Times.

Eat your Thanksgiving dinner at Shoppenagons Inn.

The stores are busy getting in readiness for the holiday season.

Mac Diarmid candy famed for freshness. Central Drug Store.

Messrs Louis Bebb and Earl Whipple were in Bay City on business Sunday.

Ed. McCrae of Caro was a guest at the home of E. G. Clark a few days this week.

We have hundreds of gifts that are suitable for card prizes, 50c to \$3.00. Carl W. Peterson.

Miss Dora Morency left Saturday afternoon for Detroit where she will remain indefinitely.

Glen Owen went out hunting for a short time Tuesday and returned home with a fine buck.

Mrs. James Bowen spent the weekend in Newberry being pleasantly entertained by Miss Florence McLeod.

Miss Dorothy Peterson returned Friday from spending two weeks visiting in Bay City and Flint.

Mrs. Andrew Bonscour was called to Onaway Tuesday by the serious illness of her sister Mrs. Ivan Thompson.

P. L. Brown was in East Jordan on business over Sunday, visiting his daughter Mrs. Ed. Strehl and family while there.

Messrs Clarence Johnson and Leo Schram left the fore part of last week for Detroit where they expect to find employment.

You are invited to a dancing party at the Temple theatre Saturday evening, November 25th. Bill \$1. Clark's orchestra will play.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bebb of du Pont avenue are happy over the arrival of a son, Thomas Earl at their home Monday night.

Attend the Red Cross dancing party at the school gymnasium next Tuesday evening, November 28th. The price of admission is 25c.

Mrs. Gottlieb Rau returned to her home in West Branch Tuesday after a week's visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ben Landsberg.

Miss Kathryn Clark expects to go to Vanderbilt this afternoon to play tenor banjo with the Roy Morgan orchestra of Gaylord, at a Legion ball.

Sisters M. Raymond and M. Estelle of Mercy Hospital were in Reed City the fore part of the week to attend the funeral of the latter's father.

Mrs. Robert M. Roblin left Saturday for Jackson, expecting later to go on to Rochester, Minnesota, to consult Mayo Brothers in regards to her health.

Axel Peterson is going about on crutches as the result of breaking a bone in his right foot yesterday morning while at his work in the M. C. R. yards.

Miss Dorothy Shaw, second grade teacher is nicely recovering from a siege of the chicken-pox so that she will be able to resume her school duties next Monday.

The regular meeting of the W. B. A. O. T. M. will be held Thursday evening, December 7. There will be election of officers and all members are urged to be present.

Mrs. W. A. Lamont of Montpelier, Ohio, returned Monday to her home after spending a week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Cramer, and also the Adam Gierke family.

A regular meeting of Grayling Lodge F. & A. M. will be held Thursday night, November 30 at which time there will be election of officers. All members are requested to be present.

Prof. C. M. Fuller who recently came to Grayling to reside is finding business here better than he had hoped for. He already has 48 pupils on the piano, and is also giving some attention to voice culture.

Mrs. J. M. Reagan of Royal Oak arrived Tuesday and after a short visit at the home of her son Robert Reagan left for Johannesburg, where she will spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Guy Peterson and family.

W. H. Cody, J. J. Love, and George Burke returned to Grayling from Bergland, all having filled their licenses. James Bowen also returned home from a hunting trip in Newberry bringing home a big buck.

There will be a box social at the Douglas Hall, in Lovells, Saturday night Nov. 25, 1922, for the benefit of the school. Everyone is cordially invited. Ladies bring box with lunch for two. Lucille Moon, Teacher.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. George J. Birski, born on November 20, passed away the following day. The funeral was held yesterday morning with short services at St. Mary's church.

Mrs. Martha Anderson, who has been ill for some time is in a precarious condition at the home of her nephew Chris Jensen, where she is being cared for. Her son Carl Mork of Detroit and step-son Harvey Anderson of Toledo, Ohio, were called to her bedside the latter part of the week. Mrs. Anderson is an old resident of Grayling.

Mrs. Neil Matthews and son Jack left Friday to visit for a couple of weeks with relatives in Rose City, while Mr. Matthews is in Lansing undergoing physical examination. The latter during the World war was gassed and his health as a result is not the best. He is in Lansing for examination by order of the American Legion.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Duclos left Wednesday for Tawas City to remain for a few days after which they will go to Niles, Mich. They have purchased a home there and have shipped their household goods and intend to make that city their home indefinitely. Mrs. Duclos who was formerly Miss Edith Ballard, has conducted a boarding house in Grayling for many years, and in leaving, Grayling loses one of its best known citizens. Mr. and Mrs. Duclos have the best wishes of many friends in their new home. Mr. Duclos is employed with the Michigan Central railroad at Niles, as carpenter.

A new line of Thanksgiving goods, place cards, tally cards, favors, etc. Carl W. Peterson, Jeweler.

Get Denatured alcohol for your auto. Central Drug Store.

Eat your Thanksgiving dinner at Shoppenagons Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Trudo motored to Gaylord Tuesday on business.

Mrs. Adam Gierke returned home Tuesday morning from a ten days visit in Monroe and Ann Arbor.

A special service to all. When you have packages to be mailed, bring them to us and we will gladly, box wrap and mail them for you. Carl W. Peterson, Jeweler.

Just received another new line of Ladies' coats. The best line I have shown this season. Velour, squirrel and beaver and other collars. Max Landsberg.

Ross N. Martin returned home Monday from a vacation trip to Washington, D. C., Chicago, Milwaukee, Detroit and several other cities. He was away about a month and says he had a very enjoyable time.

The Bridge Club held its first social meeting for the season at the home of Mrs. O. P. Schumann Saturday afternoon. Mrs. A. J. Joseph and Mrs. Victor Salling were guests of the club. Mrs. C. A. Canfield held the highest score.

The women of Mooseheart Legion entertained the members of the Loyal Order of Moose at a venison supper Monday evening. The venison was furnished by Mrs. James Bowen. The Legion was only organized a short time ago, and are progressing wonderfully.

Tracy Nelson and family are moving from the Ralph Hanna house on McClellan street to the house on Elm street, formerly occupied by Paul Sivrais and family. The Sivrais family have moved into the Adler Jorgenson house on Spruce street, Mrs. Sivrais' parents of Gaylord sharing the house with them.

Mrs. Peter Robertson received a telegram message Monday night calling her to Detroit, her daughter Miss Flavia Robertson, who is employed there, being seriously ill. The sad word was received this morning that Miss Robertson had passed away last night, and the remains would arrive in Grayling tomorrow morning for burial.

Mrs. Gerda Appelberg and children left Wednesday for Sweden to make their future home. Mr. Appelberg lost his life a few weeks ago while fishing in Lake Margrethe, since which Mrs. Appelberg decided to return to her native land and, with her four young sons, make her home with her parents, at Kalix, Sweden. Mrs. Carl England accompanied them as far as New York.

Mrs. Walter Doroh was hostess to the ladies of the Nona Such "500" club Tuesday afternoon at her home. A very delicious lunch was served on a table adorned with crystal candle sticks holding yellow lighted candles. Mrs. Ambrose McClain who was a guest of the club held the highest score and Mrs. Nelson Corwin received consolation prize. Mrs. Ben Delamater was also a guest.

Prof. C. M. Fuller is about to begin rehearsals for a Christmas cantata, to be given in the Michigan Memorial church. Anyone wishing to take part is invited to come to the church Saturday night, November 25, for the first rehearsal. There will be lots of good music and, under the direction of Prof. Fuller, should be an attraction to all who enjoy singing. A large chorus is desired.

Alonzo Collen has sold his home to his uncle, Geo. A. Collen and left Tuesday afternoon for Detroit where he will associate himself with Bert Dawson in the grocery business at 8322 Gratiot avenue. Mrs. Collen is already there and writes that she is pleased with the outlook for a good business. Their daughters Misses Beulah and Maxine will remain in Grayling until school is out in June after which they will join their parents. Their grand mother, Mrs. Mary Collen will keep house for them until that time.

Converse rubbers for the whole family. They outwear two pairs of others, and cost no more, at E. J. Olson's.

Woodland Oleo

25c per pound,
5 pounds, \$1.20

Don't forget to place
your order for that fowl
for Thanksgiving.

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The HE-Man's Pen

with over-size ink capacity
and 25 year point

Let a he-man get his hands on this big, business-like Duofold and he'd rather let go of seven dollars than the pen. Press the button and it's filled.

Over-size barrel holds nearly twice the ink of the ordinary. Native Iridium point as smooth as a jewel and guaranteed 25 years.

Step in and see this long-lived classic with jet black tips and neat, gold-plated clips.

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Special attractive prices for one week only that should appeal to every working man—
250 doz. gloves on sale at less than wholesale prices today.

50 doz. canvas gloves, good weight . . . 3 pr. for 25c
50 doz. canvas gloves, 15c val. 3 pr. for 35c or doz. 1.25
25 doz. leather faced canvas gauntlets, 40c values, 3 pr. for . . . 95c
25 doz. canvas gauntlets, 20c values per pr. . . 15c
25 doz. canvas mitts, 10c values, per doz. . . 95c
25c tick mitts, per pair . . . 18c

Specials for 1 Week Only

All ladies trimmed hats, 1-2 off.

Boys and girls and childrens sweaters—20 per cent off.

All mens mackinaws, 20 per cent off.

A full selection of mens rubbers, work mitts, heavy pants, blankets and underwear at lowest prices.

Grayling Mercantile Co.

THE QUALITY STORE

Do your Xmas shopping early at Central Drug Store.

Miss Ruth Woodruff was in Bay City a few days last week visiting her parents.

William Brown returned to his home in Lansing yesterday after several weeks stay here.

Wesley Woods resigned his position at O. Scronson & Sons store and left yesterday for Flint where he will be employed.

Jean Ayotte and family are making preparations to move to Bay City for the winter, the former to be employed in the Bay City duPont plant.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rasmussen at Mercy Hospital early Monday morning. Mother and babe are doing nicely.

Just as we are about to go to press we learn of the death of Harrison Cameron, that occurred late this Thursday afternoon at Mercy Hospital.

Max Landsberg was in Detroit Sunday visiting at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Harry Robinson. Mrs. Landsberg has been in Detroit for a number of weeks visiting her daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben E. Shore and daughter Marjorie returned to Bay City Tuesday, after residing here since early spring. Mr. Shore, who has been assistant superintendent of the local du Pont plant is being transferred to the Bay City plant.

If you want to save money, go to Landsbergs and look over his line of ladies' coats. 100 coats to select from. These coats must be sold in five days or be returned to the manufacturers. Rather than return them, we would prefer to sell them on a small margin of profit.

The It Suits Us club resumed its weekly social card parties yesterday afternoon when Mrs. W. E. Havens was hostess to the club, assisted by Miss Jennie Ingley. Prizes for "500" were awarded to Mrs. Charles Fehr, Mrs. P. P. Mahoney, Mrs. Adler Jorgenson and Mrs. Charles Schreck. A delicious lunch was enjoyed.

Miss Margaret Kerrigan, teacher of the fourth grade, whose condition for a few days was considered most critical, is showing slight improvement. Miss Susan Kerrigan of Chicago, a trained nurse and sister of the young lady is caring for her at Mercy Hospital.

There will be a Red Cross dance in the school gymnasium beginning at eight o'clock, Tuesday evening, November 28. During intermission there will be some short talks given on county nursing, etc. Everyone is invited to attend. Admission 25 cents. This is a worthy cause so please be there.

Subscribe for the AVALANCHE.

CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY

FOR THE RELIEF OF Coughs, Colds, Croup WHOOPING COUGH, HOARSENESS BRONCHITIS

-SOLD EVERYWHERE-

SUCCESSFUL HOME DEMONSTRATION MEETINGS.

Miss Marion Rogers of our Agricultural College held two very successful meetings with the ladies of the Benedict School district and Maple Forest this week. Her subject was Household Management. Miss Rogers explained to her audiences how much work and weariness they might save themselves by studying a better arrangement of kitchens. To this the ladies heartily agreed.

Miss Rogers will return next month and continue her subject along the line of Household Conveniences.

EASTERN STAR FAIR FOR XMAS.

One of the principal attractions at the Eastern Star Fair in December will be the doll booth. There's going to be all sizes and kinds and fully dressed. This booth will be in charge of Mrs. John Zeder.

There will also be a fancy work booth with all kinds of suggestions that will make Christmas shopping easy. This will be in charge of Mrs. N. P. Olson.

The candy booth will be in charge of Miss Fern Armstrong.

There will be a fine musical program in charge of Miss Kathryn Clark.

Santa Claus will be there and have charge of the grab bag, containing many wonderful and mysterious things.

MAPLE FOREST TAX PAYERS.

This is to notify tax payers of Maple Forest township that I will be at the Bank of Frederic in Frederic beginning with the second Friday in December (Dec. 8, 1922) and continue all day Friday thereafter until January 10.

Mrs. James Murphy, Treasurer Maple Forest

OUR BULLETIN OF

WEEKLY BARGAINS

"A Penny saved is a penny earned"—Franklin.

ONLY 26 SHOPPING DAYS UNTIL CHRISTMAS. WHY NOT SHOP EARLY? WE HAVE MANY SUITABLE GIFTS ON DISPLAY RIGHT NOW.

Furniture Polish, "Oriental," 12 oz. bottle . . . 25c

B. P. S. Polish for floor and furniture, large bottle. . . 20c

Water Glasses, Colonial, 9 oz., per set of 6 . . . 32c

Granite Drinking Cups . . . 19c

Cups and Saucers, For-get-me-not decoration, gilt edge . . . 22c

Clothes Baskets, fine splint, medium size . . . 98c

Weather Strips, Dunham's metal strips for window and door. Keeps cold out, pays for itself in fuel saved. Install it yourself. Hammer and scissors only tools used. Sale price per foot . . . 10c

A few bargains in used furniture.

Dining table, oak, 8 ft. extension . . . 12.00

5 piece Library Set, settee, arm chair, two rockers . . . 20.00

Hall tree, with mirror . . . 3.50

Child's crib, large size . . . 6.00

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Michigan Happenings

A total of 2,898 voters were disfranchised in Ottawa county as a result of the recount obtained through the efforts of Del Fortney, Republican candidate for sheriff, at the recent election. Fred Kamferbeck, Democratic candidate, was elected by 148 votes, but Mr. Fortney, the defeated candidate, demanded a recount on the grounds that the election officials in several precincts had initiated the ballots with pencil, instead of ink. As a result, Mr. Fortney is now sheriff by a majority 308 votes instead of Kamferbeck, considered victorious before the recount.

Gladys Gibson, 6-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Gibson, of Macon township, Lenawee county, was burned to death when an automobile in which she was sitting caught fire from an explosion of gasoline. The father was putting gasoline into the car by the aid of a lantern, the flames of which ignited the gasoline. The mother was slightly burned about the ankles but escaped from the car with another child.

When the post safe at Selfridge field near Mt. Clemens, was opened following the \$150,000 fire, \$50,000 cash was found intact despite the severe heat to which the safe had been subjected. Captain Dixon, acting commanding officer, has appointed Lieutenants Blackburn and Summers to conduct an investigation into the origin of the fire.

A tentative budget, exceeding by several thousand dollars the limit of taxing in Pontiac, has been presented to the city commission by Manager Irving Brower. Among other items, he restores in his budget over 10 percent cut off the salaries of himself and other heads of departments some months ago. Paving costs enter largely into the total.

George H. Kline and Mrs. Louise Kline of Kalamazoo were divorced after 20 years of married life. Recently they wed again, telling the marriage license clerk, when applying for a license, that they had decided their separation was a mistake when their daughter became a mother a few days ago. The Klines have five children.

The award of compensation for the widow and children of Carl Armsted, who was found killed near Marquette during the 1921 deer hunting season, has been affirmed by the State Department of Labor and Industry. At an arbitration hearing at Ironwood months ago the widow was awarded \$14 a week for 300 weeks.

Sixteen employees of the state department of agriculture have been dismissed, and the administration board fixed the working day in state departments at Lansing at a minimum of eight hours, with a half holiday on Saturdays. Seven hours has been the previous day. The new order took effect November 15.

Michigan ranks tenth in wool production, according to 1922 figures completed by Verne H. Church, federal crop statistician, of Michigan. The reports show that Michigan in 1922, produced 7,868,000 pounds of wool, as compared with 7,714,000 in 1921; 3,385,000 in 1920, and 7,836,000 in 1919.

To test the psychological reaction of prisoners to humanitarian treatment, the state administrative board refused to permit construction of a fence around the new tuberculosis hospital for state penal institution inmates. The hospital is outside the walls of the Ionia reformatory.

About 1,000 Michigan corporations are delinquent in payment of the corporation tax, Attorney-General Ora B. Fuller was told by the corporation division of the department of state. More than \$5,000,000 was paid by the 11,000 firms which complied with the law, the announcement said.

The Marquette Episcopal diocese, which has taken over St. George's hospital of Marquette, have announced they will erect a new institution there which will be the finest hospital in the upper peninsula. Work on the new structure will be started next spring.

A bronze tablet inscribed with the names of University of Michigan medical school graduates and undergraduates who lost their lives in the late war, was dedicated Armistice Day. The tablet has been placed in the main entrance to the medical school.

Harry H. Warner, 44 years old, of the F. J. Kellogg company, Battle Creek, died following an operation for appendicitis. He had just built a country home on the outskirts of the city.

With thousands of pages of testimony and exhibits to be read into the records, the hearing of the mandamus in the Michigan Telephone company rate case, has begun in the Michigan supreme court, and is expected to last for several weeks.

Arnold Bolestad, 37 years old, of Port Huron, died as the result of injuries suffered at Ludington when he was hit by a car, driven by William Thompson, Victory township farmer. His jaw was fractured, his nose broken and his skull cracked.

A temporary injunction was granted in circuit court at Flint before President Judge E. D. Black, restraining Alexander "Al" Werbe, president of the City Athletic club from further operation of the club, which has been raided twice by police for gambling.

The government of the United States must attack the land-clearing problem on as large a scale as it has irrigation if the millions of acres of good agricultural land now undeveloped in various sections of the country are to be available for food production within the next few decades. This is the opinion of L. F. Livingston, Michigan Agricultural College extension specialist, who recently returned to his headquarters at Marquette following the end of the tour of the land-clearing demonstration train in the Lower Peninsula.

"Socialism was born in the Garden of Eden. Even Adam and Eve, with all their possible worldly wants provided in that most beautiful environment, Eden, coveted that which was not theirs, and resented higher authority," said the Rev. Joseph Fox, of the Federated Church at Dowagiac, in a sermon. "Discontent comes not from worldly deprivations, but from the heart which is not attuned to Christianity," he said. The Socialist party has a large following in Dowagiac.

It is estimated that more than 2,000 hunters from lower Michigan and Wisconsin have entered the Upper Peninsula in search of northern Michigan venison this year. Several days before deer season opened, contingents of Flint, Milwaukee, Bay City, Saginaw and Detroit hunters were passengers on training arriving in Marquette.

Sheriff Matthews found a sedan on its side in a deep ditch near Muskegon. Investigating, he found Herman Havenga, a Muskegon tailor, sleeping in the overturned car. Havenga was charged with driving an automobile while intoxicated. The automobile was not damaged and Havenga, being unable to get out, went to sleep.

The police of Hillsdale and other cities are hunting for Miss Margaret McWilliams, of Hillsdale, who has been missing from her home since May 5. When last seen she was accompanied by a man and had just visited the home of a married sister, Miss McWilliams, 26 years old. She has light brown hair, blue eyes, and weighs about 125 pounds.

Carl P. Palmer, president of the Mid-West company, pleaded guilty before Superior Court Judge Leonard D. Verrier, at Grand Rapids on a charge of forgery. Though the specific charge is that he forged a note for approximately \$1,000, it is stated by Prosecuting Attorney Cornelius Hoffius that \$150,000 is involved.

Harry J. Slavens, 34, a miner, died at Bay City, as a result of a hunting trip west of Pinconning. Slavens was standing on a stump when his shotgun discharged accidentally, shooting him in the face, causing instant death. Slavens' wife, brother-in-law and sister accompanied him on the hunting expedition.

Lansing has a veteran of the Civil War who claims the world's record for attending encampments of the Grand Army of the Republic. He is Allison L. Bryant, assistant custodian of the Michigan War Museum, and he has attended all but one of the annual reunions of the G. A. R. held in the last 37 years.

Peeka-hoo waists and knee-length dresses disappeared at the Colonial Tea Room at Muskegon at the request of an official order to the waitresses. The management decided that too many young men came to eat merely to linger and admire the young women. The practice held up business, it was said.

Albion College will be the scene of the annual Christian college conference of the Y. M. C. A. of Michigan Dec. 6 to 16 inclusive. Every college in the state, including the University of Michigan will have representatives there. Last year's conference was held at Ann Arbor.

Honoring four of its dead comrades by planting trees to their memory was one of the features of the Armistice Day celebration at Pontiac carried out by Cook-Nelson Post of the American Legion and the Pontiac Council of Churches, working jointly.

Ray Munton, whose home is in Bay City, accepted \$300 from Frank Andre, of Grand Ledge, for which he failed to deliver the goods, and a circuit court jury found him guilty of larceny by trick.

Pricked by a pin, an embroiderer sofa cushion in the home of Mrs. Bessie Prigdon, Flint, spurted forth liquor, say detectives who made a raid. The cushions were rubber. Mrs. Prigdon and her husband were arrested.

The proposal to bond Oceana county for \$25,000 to build a new county infirmary was defeated.

Wellington Smith, 45 years old, father of six children, lost his right hand in a corn husker at his farm south of Ionia. He was brought to Ionia for medical attention.

After officials had abandoned the chase with bloodhounds, Fred Davis, 24 years old, wanted on a charge of murdering Nela Larson, Hebron township farmer, walked into Cheboygan and gave himself up to the sheriff. He said the dogs often had passed near him during the search.

By the terms of an agreement entered into between the University of Michigan and officials of the Roman Catholic church the property at the corner of State and East Jefferson at Ann Arbor, will become the property of the University of Michigan.

A statewide search has been started for two 16-year-old girls who disappeared after starting for a motion picture theater in Flint. They are Minnie M. Nesbitt, Yates apartments, and her friend, Mary Cousins, 1226 Cleveland avenue, Flint.

PRISONERS COULD IMPROVE LANDS

STATE CONSIDERS PROPOSAL TO TRY OUT NEW LAND-CLEARING SYSTEM.

PAROLE CHIEF OUTLINES PLAN

Janette Says Selected Prison Inmates Could Work Out Probationary Period Aiding Farmers.

Lansing—State officials are giving consideration to a plan, whereby Michigan can put waste lands, now valueless, or nearly so, in a marketable condition, also assisting in the solution of the non-employment problems in the prisons.

At the same time, a probationary system could be worked out, under which convicts, up for parole, could be given a trial outside the prisons, while still under state control to determine whether or not they were ready for return to society. It is argued.

The plan, as outlined by Fred Jayette state parole commissioner, is simply to place selected prison inmates on state lands, under proper supervision and employ them at clearing ditches and road building.

The plan has the endorsement of Ezra Lewis, director of the land development bureau of the department of agriculture.

"The thing that stands in the way of the development of large tracts of good land in Michigan is the cost of clearing," Janette said. "At the same time, the state is supporting inmates, in its prisons, some of whom can be employed but part of the time."

"If this cheap labor could be applied to the cheap land, the state could clear the land, thereby making it marketable; at the same time furnishing employment for surplus prisoners."

The plan of employing inmates nearing the end of their terms or about ready for parole on state work, has been tried out on a small scale during the past summer.

RURAL CREDITS, SUBSIDY ON LIST

Transportation Revision Also to Get Attention of Session.

Washington—The following legislative program for the house during the remainder of the present congress, which expires March 4, has been agreed upon at a conference between President Harding and Republican Leader Mondell:

Ship subsidy bill. Annual appropriation bills. Rural credits legislation. Consideration of modifications of the Esch-Cummins transportation act.

The administration, Mr. Mondell said, recognizes there is a pressing need for rural credits legislation. Commercial banking institutions can only handle short time obligations based on actual values, while the farmer and stock man generally need longer credit, running from one to three years.

Some new plan for providing this long term credit, the Republican leader declared is "not only desirable but essential."

TU: KS BACK AT OLD HABITS

Execute 8 and Order American Orphanage to Move Out.

Paris—Eight executions are reported as having been carried out by order of the Turkish government at Angora. The men who were slain were charged with treason and included a former minister of justice and former military governor of Constantinople and a former director of the military section of the British police.

The Turkish authorities at Angora have served notice on the orphanage division of the American Near East Relief that unless their 20,000 orphans are removed from Turkish jurisdiction within 10 days they will be "disposed of as the Turks see fit."

MICHIGAN VETS OFFERED LAND

State Agricultural Department Provides Settlement Plan.

Lansing In a letter to Robert B. Harkness state commander of the American Legion, the state department of agriculture has invited world war veterans to take advantage of a "state-veteran" land settlement plan.

The plan provides for the settlement of large tracts in the upper peninsula by former service men. The quality of the land would be certified by the state department. The veterans would purchase their land through arrangements made by the state.

Germany Sees Hunger Riots.

Berlin—Symptomatic of times and conditions in Germany, hunger riots are reported from Dusseldorf, Cologne and Hamburg. In Dusseldorf there is considerable plundering of shops. The police are powerless and the municipal authorities have sent a request to the Allied commission for permission to bring in 300 police reinforcements. The request has been refused. In Ehrenfeld, members of the police force have been dragged from their horses by mobs.

Can't Hold Babies as Security.

Chicago—Babies belong to their mothers and may not be held as hostages in a family war nor used as security for a debt. This is the ruling made by Judge Sabath when he took three-month-old Fern Glowe from Frank Kow, her grandfather, and gave her to the waiting arms of her mother. According to the story told by Mrs. Glowe, her father was holding the baby for expenses incurred at the time of its birth. When plans and tears failed, the Glows applied for a writ of habeas corpus.

FASCIST LEADER THROWS CHALLENGE TO CHAMBER



BENITO MUSSOLINI

Rome—Premier Mussolini, in his initial address to the Chamber of Deputies, threw down the gauntlet to that body and indicated in unmistakable terms that he was not there to ask favors but to receive them. Mussolini is the new revolutionary dictator who led his black-shirted Fascists in its overthrow of the radicals in control of Italy's government.

STATE BONUS FUND PAID OUT

1923 Legislature Must Provide for 19,000 Veterans Unpaid.

Lansing If the 20,000 or more Michigan veterans of the World War who are still to receive their state bonuses are to be paid, the funds will have to be supplied by the 1923 Legislature. It is estimated that the bonus fund, which amounted to more than \$300,000,000 from the sale of bonds and premiums, will fall \$600,000 short of paying all claims.

At present there is \$74,527 left in the fund. To absorb that there are approximately 500 approved claims on file, which, at an average of \$207 each, will require more than is available. Besides the 500 approved claims, there are 2,500 claims which have not been inspected and it is estimated that 19,000 veterans, many of whom may be eligible to a bonus, have not yet made application.

LLOYD MUST SERVE SENTENCE

Court Refuses to Delay Term of Wealthy Communist.

Chicago—The two-year fight of William Lloyd, wealthy communist, to escape a five year penitentiary sentence for violation of the Illinois espionage act, known as the "overthrow" law, ended when Chief Justice Thompson, of the Illinois supreme court, announced he would deny Lloyd's motion to stay the sentence until December 1.

Lloyd and 18 other members of the communist party were convicted at Chicago in August, 1920. They were accused of advocating overthrow of the government. In addition to the prison sentence, Lloyd was fined \$2,000.

Victor Berger of Milwaukee and two others were released by the court.

CANADIAN FORD STOCK LISTED

First Time Wall St. Has Stock With Detroit's Name.

New York—Shares of the Ford Motor Company of Canada, Ltd., were listed upon the New York curb market Nov. 16, and for the first time a stock bearing the name of Henry Ford was bought and sold in Wall Street.

Only two sales were made, due largely to the fact that many floor members did not know it had been listed and did not recognize it by the abbreviated title that appeared upon the stock tickers.

The company, which is not a subsidiary of the parent corporation, is capitalized at 100,000 shares. Mr. Ford is president and owns approximately 13 percent of the stock.

BONAR LAW BEATS LLOYD GEORGE

Conservatives Given Working Majority in English Election.

London—"I am quite satisfied at the results," Lloyd George made that statement regarding the outcome of the British elections which have shown a big preference for Bonar Law.

The returns show the election of 345 Conservatives, 141 Laborites, 62 Liberals, 44 National-Liberals and 15 others.

Share Ford Railroad Earnings.

Columbus, O.—Application has been filed with the State Utilities commission by officials of the Detroit, Toledo and Ironton railroad, owned by Henry Ford, for permission to issue to its employees investment securities in denominations of \$1,000, \$500, and \$100. The aggregate is not to exceed \$1,000,000. The purpose of the proposed issuance of certificates, the railroad officials informed the commission is to promulgate a feeling of participation in the earnings of the company.

Seeks to Restrain Directors.

Richmond, Va.—Existence of a secret agreement between H. C. Doherty of New York, and H. C. Pierce, president of the Pierce Oil corporation for the alleged purpose of defrauding the stockholders and obtaining control of the company was testified to here by C. W. Randall, vice president of the Pierce company, at the hearing on a petition of the preferred stockholders to declare election of the present Pierce board of directors illegal and void, and restraining the board from functioning.

Items Of Interest in World's News

Curling Iron Pierces Brain.

Elizabeth, N. J.—Miss Mary A. Jessich, a public school principal, was killed when she fell in a faint while curling her hair and the steel hair-curler pierced her brain. She was getting ready to go to school.

Naval Budget Compels Reduction.

Washington—Maintenance of the American navy for another year at a strength far inferior to the ratio of equality with Great Britain as provided under the five power naval treaty, is necessitated by the naval budget for the next fiscal year.

Miss Gordon Heads W. C. T. U.

Philadelphia—Miss Anna A. Gordon, of Evanston, Ill., was elected president of the world organizations of the Women's Christian Temperance union. Miss Gordon was vice-president of the body and has been acting as president at the convention here.

Irene Wants All Her Dogs.

Chicago—"Love me—love my dogs," was the ultimatum given the exclusive Blackstone Hotel here by Irene Castle Treman, dancer. The hotel management informed Irene that the dogs could not be taken above the lobby floor. The dancer, in a rage, moved to another hotel.

Music to Cure Diseases.

Cincinnati, O.—Music has not only "charms to soothe the savage breast," but also can lull to slumber any form of disease or malady curable by medical science, according to the theory advanced by Professor C. M. Diserens, of the department of Psychology at the University of Cincinnati.

One Respectful Way to Die.

Washington—"There is only one respectable way to die, and that is old age," declared Dr. Harvey W. Wiley, noted health authority, at a luncheon of the Washington club. Still ruddy of face, dark of hair and sturdy of frame despite his 73 years, Dr. Wiley declared he is still "going strong."

Poet Left Clothes and Matchbox.

London—Henry Lawson, the late Australian novelist and poet, left for distribution under his will two suits of clothes, an overcoat, a tin matchbox, a pair of spectacles, a walking stick, and two packets of tobacco. For some time before his death he had been receiving a pension from the government.

Says TB Can Cure Itself.

Rockford, Ill.—"When the disease is arrested tuberculosis will positively cure itself through proper diet and a correct living," declares a report filed at the conclusion of a survey just made here. The report said there were 240 cases in this city and that the most susceptible and dangerous age is from 21 to 35 years.

Sues Uncle for Injury.

Hagerstown, Md.—Mrs. Ida McEwen of Savannah, Ga., has instituted suit here for \$40,000 damages against her uncle, Edward E. Fleming, alleging she received permanent injuries when an automobile driven by the uncle crashed into a fence. Christopher E. McEwen, her husband, filed suit for \$10,000 for loss of his wife's services.

Uses Winger Husking Beans.

Wellington, O.—C. M. Russ no longer blisters and callouses his hands, as he did while husking the first 50 bushels of beans. Russ shucked 200 bushels with a new invention in quicker time than he shelled 50 bushels by hand. He now runs the beans through a winger, which squeezes the beans out of the pods in an "excellent manner," Russ said.

Winner Repents False Testimony.

Cincinnati, O.—A check for \$800 was added to the "conscience fund" of the South Covington and Cincinnati Street Railway company recently when an attorney in San Francisco forwarded it as coming from a client who had received that amount in a court decision 10 years ago. According to the letter the verdict was rendered as the result of false testimony.

Court Forecloses "Puppy Love"

Chicago—Judicial cognizance of prevalent "puppy love" marriages caused Lucille Patterson, 16 years old, to be enjoined from "keeping company with men or boys until she becomes 18 years of age in an order entered by Judge Thomas Lynch. The unusual order, which also provides that the girl shall be forced to complete a high school course, is the result of a joint petition filed by her parents who are divorced.

"Bees in Clay's Belfry."

Lexington, Ky.—In the days when Henry Clay was called "The Great Pacificator" as well as a perpetual candidate for office, his political enemies accused him many times of "having bees in the belfry." That became a reality when it was discovered that the hollow stonehead of the Henry Clay statue over the tomb in the cemetery here where Clay is buried is full of bees. The bees can't be dislodged unless a series of ladders can be used by men experienced in handling bees.

MARKET REPORT

FURNISHED BY U. S. BUREAU OF MARKETS, WASHINGTON, D. C.

Grain

The grain market turned sour the last half of week following an unsettled condition and prices closed lower. Chicago Dec. wheat up 1-4c. Chicago Dec. corn up 2 cents. Higher foreign markets and lower export rates were the main bulging factors. All wheat deliveries except December sold at but close was fractionally lower on profit-taking. Underdone is firm. Good business in cash grain. Corn showed more strength than wheat. Cash demand in west and southwest continues good. Closing prices in Chicago cash market: No. 2 hard winter wheat \$1.30; No. 2 hard winter wheat \$1.21; No. 2 mixed corn \$1.20; No. 2 yellow corn \$1.15; No. 2 white corn \$1.10.

Average farm prices: No. 2 mixed corn in central Iowa \$1.00; No. 2 hard winter wheat in central Kansas \$1.10. Closing futures prices: Chicago Dec. wheat \$1.34-1/2; Chicago December corn \$1.14-1/2; Minneapolis December wheat \$1.15-1/2; Kansas City December wheat \$1.10-1/2; Winnipeg December wheat \$1.04-1/2.

Hay Prices remain fairly firm. Stormy weather restricting country loadings in central west demand moderate. Good grades alfalfa strong at Kansas City. Quoted Nov. 15: No. 1 timothy, \$14.00; No. 2 timothy, \$13.50; No. 3 timothy, \$13.00; No. 4 timothy, \$12.50; No. 5 timothy, \$12.00; No. 6 timothy, \$11.50; No. 7 timothy, \$11.00; No. 8 timothy, \$10.50; No. 9 timothy, \$10.00; No. 10 timothy, \$9.50; No. 11 timothy, \$9.00; No. 12 timothy, \$8.50; No. 13 timothy, \$8.00; No. 14 timothy, \$7.50; No. 15 timothy, \$7.00; No. 16 timothy, \$6.50; No. 17 timothy, \$6.00; No. 18 timothy, \$5.50; No. 19 timothy, \$5.00; No. 20 timothy, \$4.50; No. 21 timothy, \$4.00; No. 22 timothy, \$3.50; No. 23 timothy, \$3.00; No. 24 timothy, \$2.50; No. 25 timothy, \$2.00; No. 26 timothy, \$1.50; No. 27 timothy, \$1.00; No. 28 timothy, \$0.50; No. 29 timothy, \$0.00; No. 30 timothy, \$0.00.

Butter markets firm at close following short period during which an unsettled tone ruled, although prices generally were quoted lower. Prices generally steady at shipping points. Chicago steady at shipping points. Butter is moving from one market to another, and delayed shipments from producing sections. Demand continues slightly irregular.

Closing prices 32 score butter: New York \$1.00; Philadelphia \$1.00; Boston \$1.00; Chicago \$1.00.

Fruits and Vegetables

Potato markets declined for the week. Northern stock firm Chicago, down the week. Other markets steady. Prices generally steady at shipping points. Chicago steady at shipping points. Potatoes are moving from one market to another, and delayed shipments from producing sections. Demand continues slightly irregular.

Live Stock and Meats

Chicago—hog prices continued downward for the week, declines ranging from 20¢ to 40¢ being registered. Cattle prices showed mixed movement. November 16 Chicago prices: Hogs, top \$8.30; bulk of sales \$7.90-\$8.25; medium and good beef steers \$10.00-\$11.75; butcher cows and heifers \$8.00-\$10.50; feeder steers \$5.75-\$7.75; light and medium weight veal calves \$8.00-\$10.00; yearlings \$8.75-\$10.25; fat ewes \$5.50-\$7.50. With the exception of a few, which ranged from \$1.00 higher and mutton which was firm to \$1 higher; prices of farm products in cash and common. Cattle prices were lower for the week. Nov. 16 prices good grade meats: Beef \$14.15; veal \$13.15; lamb \$12.00; mutton \$12.15; light pork loins \$17.00; heavy loins \$15.15.

East Buffalo Live Stock

Cattle—Steady. Hogs: Lower; heavy and Yorkers, \$8.00-\$8.50; pigs, \$9. Sheep: Steady. Top lamb, \$11.50-\$12.50; yearlings, \$9.25; weathers, \$8.50-\$9.00; ewes, \$7.50-\$8.00; calves, \$13.50.

DETROIT QUOTATIONS

Feed and Grain
WHEAT—Cash No. 2 red, \$1.34; No. 1 white and No. 2 mixed, \$1.32.
OLD YELLOW CORN—Cash No. 2, 75¢; No. 1, 76¢; No. 3, 77¢; No. 4, 78¢; No. 5, 79¢; No. 6, 80¢; No. 7, 81¢; No. 8, 82¢; No. 9, 83¢; No. 10, 84¢; No. 11, 85¢; No. 12, 86¢; No. 13, 87¢; No. 14, 88¢; No. 15, 89¢; No. 16, 90¢; No. 17, 91¢; No. 18, 92¢; No. 19, 93¢; No. 20, 94¢; No. 21, 95¢; No. 22, 96¢; No. 23, 97¢; No. 24, 98¢; No. 25, 99¢; No. 26, 1.00; No. 27, 1.01; No. 28, 1.02; No. 29, 1.03; No. 30, 1.04; No. 31, 1.05; No. 32, 1.06; No. 33, 1.07; No. 34, 1.08; No. 35, 1.09; No. 36, 1.10; No. 37, 1.11; No. 38, 1.12; No. 39, 1.13; No. 40, 1.14; No. 41, 1.15; No. 42, 1.16; No. 43, 1.17; No. 44, 1.18; No. 45, 1.19; No. 46, 1.20; No. 47, 1.21; No. 48, 1.22; No. 49, 1.23; No. 50, 1.24; No. 51, 1.25; No. 52, 1.26; No. 53, 1.27; No. 54, 1.28; No. 55, 1.29; No. 56, 1.30; No. 57, 1.31; No. 58, 1.32; No. 59, 1.33; No. 60, 1.34; No. 61, 1.35; No. 62, 1.36; No. 63, 1.37; No. 64, 1.38; No. 65, 1.39; No. 66, 1.40; No. 67, 1.41; No. 68, 1.42; No. 69, 1.43; No. 70, 1.44; No. 71, 1.45; No. 72, 1.46; No. 73, 1.47; No. 74, 1.48; No. 75, 1.49; No. 76, 1.50; No. 77, 1.51; No. 78, 1.52; No. 79, 1.53; No. 80, 1.54; No. 81, 1.55; No. 82, 1.56; No. 83, 1.57; No. 84, 1.58; No. 85, 1.59; No. 86, 1.60; No. 87, 1.61; No. 88, 1.62; No. 89, 1.63; No. 90, 1.64; No. 91, 1.65; No. 92, 1.66; No. 93, 1.67; No. 94, 1.68; No. 95, 1.69; No.

Thanksgiving— Some Eats!



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By JOHN DICKINSON SHERMAN
 AFTER Armistice day—Thanksgiving! The one day of martial thrills and, mayhap, poignant memories; the other with its lesson that "peace hath its victories no less renowned than those of war." We may not know just yet how to celebrate November 11, because of its newness as a day of national observance. But Thanksgiving is real old-fashioned. So we know all about the proper celebration of this old American holiday.

Popular opinion insists upon fixing the first Thanksgiving day in 1621, when the Pilgrims celebrated the gathering of their first harvest. They certainly had a large feast; it lasted five days, and they and their Indian guests ate at least five deer. The first Thanksgiving day observed in all the states was on December 18, 1777; it was recommended by proclamation of the Continental congress after the surrender of Burgoyne. For 11 years thereafter congress recommended a day of thanksgiving, and the several states made appointment in accordance. Then there was an interval in which the fixing of the date was left wholly to the states. The first congress under the federal Constitution adopted a resolution asking President Washington to recommend a day for national thanksgiving and prayer, and the President's proclamation named Thursday, November 26, of that year. The anti-Federalists made such a rumpus over it that it was not repeated until 1795, when President Washington, without recommendation by congress, set February 19 as a day of thanksgiving.

Then Thanksgiving day apparently went into the discard as a national holiday. Anyway, until 1815 there was no other national appointment. In that year, by a resolution of congress and proclamation of the President, April 14 was set apart as a day of national thanksgiving for the restoration of peace.

That was the end of an official national Thanksgiving day for nearly half a century. It was revived by President Lincoln when he appointed a special day of thanksgiving for the victory at Gettysburg, August 8, 1863.

In the meantime the American people had been celebrating Thanksgiving day pretty much all over the Union, without bothering about presidential and gubernatorial proclamations. The American knows a good thing when he sees it. President Lincoln, being of the people, took occasion with his Gettysburg proclamation to nationalize the November Thanksgiving day. So for 60 years or so Thanksgiving has been attacked and demolished as a patriotic duty.

Theoretically, of course, we should be planning to attend church in the morning to give thanks to Divine Providence for the mercies and blessings of the year to us both as individuals and as citizens of the greatest and wealthiest and most fortunate nation on earth. Individually, as compared with the peoples of other nations, we Americans are most of us



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pretty well off—much better off than we realize. And really, you know, it is the easiest thing in the world to find all kinds of proof of the working of Divine Providence in our American history. By rights a public and private thanksgiving on a commensurate scale should be the nationwide feature of Thanksgiving day.

But, if the truth must be told, most of us are looking forward to our Thanksgiving dinner as the main feature of our Thanksgiving day—thinking of the good things we'll have, if we have the price; wondering where it will come from, if we haven't.

Yes, "Thanksgiving Day—Some Eats" comes pretty near being the slogan of our great American home and family festival. So now for the eats:

Would I could say with Charles Lamb—when he wrote his ode to gooseberry pie—"Full of my theme, O Muse!" Still, the debating societies continue to thunder over the question, "Is anticipation superior to realization?" So maybe I am better off as I am. Certainly it would be a terrifying task to write this right after an old-fashioned Thanksgiving dinner. Black coffee, tobacco and peace is what a man wants then.

Turkey and cranberry sauce, that's the main thing. Really, you know, the rest is just fixin's. Nature's a pretty good old dame, after all. What if she had given us turkey and had forgotten all about the cranberries? Why, the two are just made to go together—sort of gastronomic affinities. One shudders at the thought of egg without salt, goose without apple sauce, duck without currant jelly. But turkey without cranberry sauce on Thanksgiving is unthinkable.

The man who deliberately and with malice aforethought eats turkey before Thanksgiving day should be put in jail until after Thanksgiving day, or put through a psychiatric third degree. He's sticking out his tongue and making faces at old Mother Nature. Did you ever get so thirsty that every separate atom in you was shrieking like a toothache for water? No? Well, that's the way to find out how cold shoring water tastes. Did you ever shoot all day on a duck marsh when the spray froze on the puddle and push-pole? No? Well, that's the way to find out what a blazing fireproof feels like. That's Nature's way.

Why, a man ought to approach that sacred Thanksgiving dinner only after

purification like that of the knights of old. He ought to go to it hungry. He ought to go to it that turkey fairly trembling with the anticipation of nearly a year of abstinence. You know that. I know it. Everybody knows it. Aias, that this Twentieth century civilization of ours with its manifold food vagaries is no longer sane, safe and sober!

And someone with really devilish ingenuity should think up punishment to fit the crime for the housewife who blocks the way to the turkey with appetizers and cocktails and soups and oysters and such like. Me, I want to sit hungry and plumb empty and watch the carving of the turkey and tremble with expectation and water at the mouth. I want my first mouthful of my Thanksgiving dinner to be turkey and cranberry sauce—turkey and cranberry sauce, and nothing else.

Of course I expect to fuss around later with stuffing and mashed potatoes and gravy and maybe candied sweet potatoes and maybe even creamed onions. And doubtless I'll find time for more than one long swig of sweet cider. But turkey's my meat Thanksgiving day. The rest is just fixin's, as aforesaid.

Said? Well, it all depends upon the man—and how many times his plate has gone up to the carver—and what's coming. And if there's a pumpkin pie and Herkimer county cheese coming—as there should be—I know one man who is not interested in the salad or in anything but that pie and that cheese. The festive board may groan with good things, and keep on groaning for all he cares.

And while we are sitting around after all peace with all the world and the inhabitants thereof, let's pause to give a kindly thought and grateful to Lo, the poor Indian. For it was he who introduced the wild turkey to the Pilgrim Fathers. And it was he who discovered to him the pumpkin pie.

The Indian of eastern America may have been a poor, ignorant savage, according to some standards, but he had good taste in eats. And he was no fool as an agriculturist. He planted his corn in rows. And up the cornstalks climbed the bean vines, and between the rows grew the pumpkin, shading the ground and keeping down the weeds. Hominy, corn pone, cornmeal mush, stewed pumpkin, succotash, maple sugar, cranberries, nut butter—why, somebody ought to set up a monument to those noble red men alongside Plymouth Rock.

wire fence. Such is the perversity of human nature, that many people still get their exercise by jumping the wire fence on the first man's place. The other is undisturbed—Culler's Weekly.

Peat-Cutting in Ireland.
 The peat-cutting industry is carried on very profitably in Ireland. Work usually begins at the bogs at the end of April. The skilled cutter, who has two men with low sideless wheelbarrows in attendance, uses a kind of

spade, called a slane, the soda being cut up and removed to dry land. A few days later, when the soda have become a little less soggy, they are spread carefully all over the ground and left to dry. The next step is to pile the turf into a skillfully-made heap, which allows the wind to pass between the different pieces. Usually it is two or three months before the peats are ready for use as fuel. Peat is used in Ireland to such an extent that few people in the country districts ever burn coal.

Explanation of Mock Suns

Mock suns are similar in point of origin to the mirage of the desert, only they occur in the arctic circle. As the long winter night of the polar region wanes, once every 2½ hours a light glow is seen at some point on the horizon. Often accompanying this glow is seen the phenomenon of the mock suns. Up in the heavens as many as five of these spectral orbs

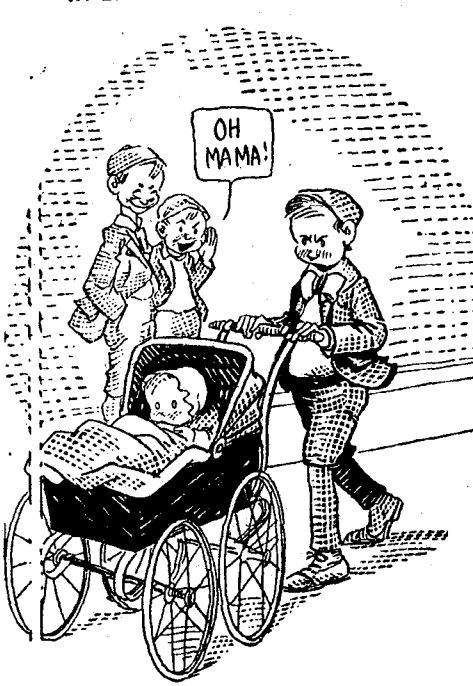
have been seen at once. Invariably they are all connected in a geometric figure, the suns seemingly being bound together with circles and arcs of light. Often, when only one appears, it is mistaken for the real sun, and natives rejoice at the early end of the long winter night, only to be disappointed as the image disappears. The explanation of the phenomenon is given by physicists as refraction and reflection of light from the real sun below the horizon on the mists in the upper atmosphere.

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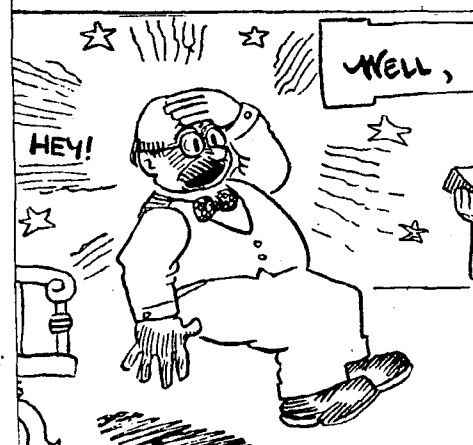
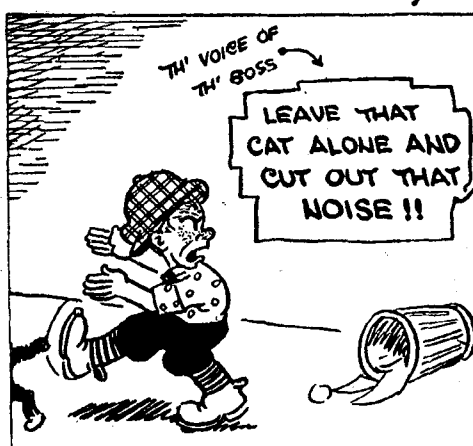
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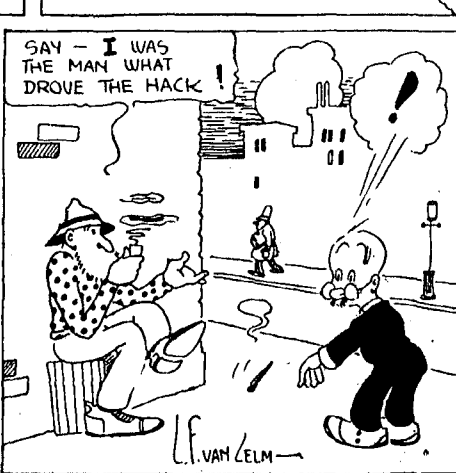
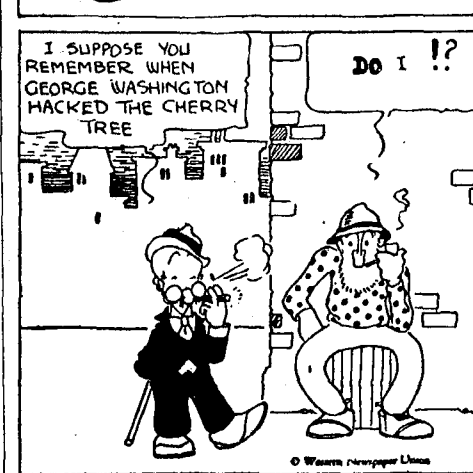
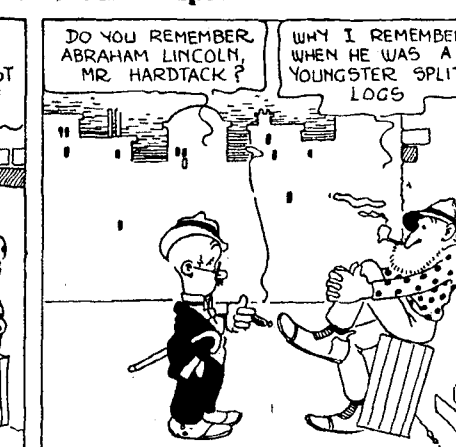
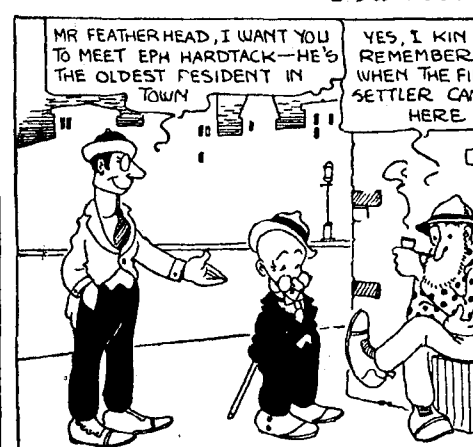
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Run fer Yer Life, Cat!



You Just Can't Stick Eph



Horse Was Favorite

Renowned among turf followers the world over, was the racehorse Botafogo, the darling of the Argentina stud. Though only eight years old, he died recently at Mar del Plata. Not particularly fortunate in his parentage, as great racers usually are, he nevertheless became a phenomenon of the track. At two years he sold for \$25,000 at auction, although he was never good looking. When he raced the

horse stretched himself out like a greyhound. He made his debut in 1917, and all the classics fell before his amazing speed. One day when he was not in form and lost to Gray Fox, the event was regarded in Argentina as quite a national catastrophe. In a subsequent "revenge race" he defeated his conqueror with perfect ease before the greatest crowd that ever assembled at the Palermo tracks.

Go Get Him.
 Hunters employed by the biological survey of the United States department of agriculture have a motto, "If you are sent after an animal bring him in, regardless of how you have to get him." The story comes from Arizona of an old female wolf that had lost a foot in a trap, so that she had grown "tramp-wise" and wary and refused to take poisoned bait. The government hunter took his bed and laid it by a water hole where several wolves came to drink nearly every night. During the night he shot the wolf within ten feet of his bed.

Chef Had Plenty But He Could Hardly Eat

Even an expert chef for an up-to-date restaurant, with everything heart could wish in the eating line and the skill to prepare it in the most appetizing manner, finds life miserable and work a burden with his appetite gone and his health all broken up on account of stomach trouble.

According to his own statement, such had been the case for two years with William Lackey, 805 North Wells St., Chicago, Ill., chef at a popular North Clark St. restaurant, who says he recently found relief by taking Tanlac.

Mr. Lackey now boasts of a "wonderful appetite and a stomach that digests such things as ham and eggs, corned beef and cabbage, and rich pastries, foods that would have almost put me out of commission before I took Tanlac."

"Before I ran across this medicine," said he, "I was having to lay off from my work for a week at a time just on account of the numerous ills I suffered from indigestion. But when I tell you I have gained fifteen pounds, eat and digest anything, and am on the job every day feeling fine, you may know how I appreciate Tanlac."

Tanlac is sold by all good druggists.

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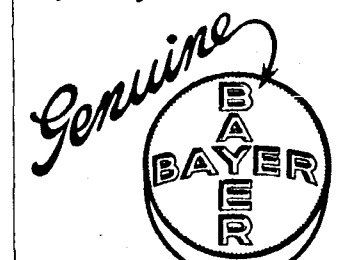
First Catch Your Man.

The Visitor—Is your oldest sister married—the one who was so proficient in all branches of domestic science?

Phillippa—No, nor likely to be. She was so busy fitting herself to be the wife of a good man that she neglected to go after the man.

Aspirin

Say "Bayer" and Insist!



Unless you see the name "Bayer" on package or on tablets you are not getting the genuine Bayer product prescribed by physicians over twenty-two years and proved safe by millions for

Colds Headache
 Toothache Lumbago
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Accept "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" only. Each unbroken package contains proper directions. Handy boxes of twelve tablets cost few cents. Druggists also sell bottles of 24 and 100. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monocetacidester of Salicylicacid.—Advertisement.

A Funny Idea.

"Daughter," said the anxious mother, "what qualifications has this young man that you are so anxious to marry him?"

"Well, mother, he dresses well, he has a rather nice car, he is a swell dancer, he tells jolly good stories, he—"

"But, daughter, has he a job?"
 "Oh, I don't know, mother! You do have the funniest ideas!"—Hamilton (Ont.) Spectator.

DRUGGISTS NOW SELL HYPO-COD DOLLAR BOTTLE

Famous Tonic, Which Has Created Sensation in Large Cities, Now Cut in Price.

COSTS NO MORE THAN
 AN ORDINARY TONIC

Thousands of people in poor health have been immediately benefited by Hypo-Cod in Detroit, Grand Rapids and the larger cities of Michigan, and anyone in need of something more modern, powerful and better than the old-fashioned, weaker and many-tasting medicines have gladly paid the higher price for Hypo-Cod, and it is worth it. Hypo-Cod works quicker and puts you back on your feet strong and well days and weeks sooner.

Now comes the glad news that the manufacturer has reduced the price on this newer, more modern and up-to-date tonic, so even the smallest drug store can now afford to sell it at new regular price, \$1.00 per bottle. Huge demand and big production puts it within reach of rich and poor. The sensational results secured by people in the larger cities where druggists are featuring it has caused nearly fifteen hundred drug stores scattered over Michigan to get it. If your own druggist hasn't secured it or prefers to push a favorite of his own, write for Hypo-Cod and pay postman when it comes—Earle Chemical Co., Wheeling, W. Va.—Advertisement.

To Make It Easier for Him.
 Mr. Dulhore—Good evening, Miss Phillippa. I was just passing your house and thought I'd look in on you.

Phillippa—Too bad I didn't know about it in time. I'd have raised the shades so you could have looked in without interrupting my musing.

Day by Day.
 Old-Fashioned Mother—I'm sure Albert would make an ideal husband, my dear. He understands women thoroughly.

Modern Daughter—But, mother, I don't want to be understood—Life.

He who wants content can't find an easy chair.

Use MURINE Night-Morning Keep Your Eyes Clean—Clear—Healthy

Write for Free Eye Care Book Murine Co., Chicago, U.S.A.

OVERTHREW DIRECTORY

The "Five Kings of France" was a term applied to the body of five men constituting the French directory. To them was entrusted the executive government of France from October 26, 1795, to November 9, 1799. They were frequently styled "The Five Majesties of the Luxembourg." The directory was overthrown by Napoleon Bonaparte on the 18 Brumaire (Nov. 9, 1799), and the consulate established in its stead.

FARM BUREAU NOTES.

(Continued from first page.)
prevent a farmer breeding cows to purebred sires.

There's nothing to prevent him from cleaning and repairing the old hen house, delousing it, culling out lazy hens, feeding more intelligently than ever before, and paying his entire grocery bill with eggs.

The market may be all shot to pieces; yet there is nothing to prevent a farmer sipping up all around his place, grading his door yard, setting out artistic clumps, hedges, and wind-breaks of evergreen taken from the woods without cost.

He may not be able to buy paint; but, he can add dollars to the value of the farm by raking the yard, removing rubbish, and having a neat wood pile, and by moving the barn yard so it will not show from the house or road.

Hard times may prevent some men from buying spray material; but, it needn't keep any from gaining ground in spite of fate, so we may say, by grafting some better clons into his orchard.

In spite of hard times, thousands of us farmers, when we can't sell a thing, can cut posts from wood lot or swamp, and improve the farm fences, stretching up snug the wire already there.

Hard times and low markets do not of themselves prevent a man making flower beds to please his wife.

Hard times do not keep a man from digging stumps, thus adding dollars to the farm.

Hard times do not keep a man from shaving and looking a little better.

Hard times do not keep a man from being a little more kind and gentle to wife, children, neighbors, and even his stock.

Hard times do not prevent a man from being a pleasant visitor at school; a more devoted attendant at church; more helpful to a neighbor in trouble.

A man of spirit and gumption, when things are slack and apparently unprofitable on the farm, will wring success from unfavorable circumstances, by deep study of the many bulletins about his business. He can always get these free. I have yet to meet

the farmer who couldn't be helped by them.
It's that feeling of self sufficiency, that feeling that "you can't tell me much," that keeps a whole lot of the farmers just where they are, doing pitifully poorly.

So, I maintain that, right now, right here among us, while we can't get much from the potatoes and beef we would like to sell; while we are poorly prepared to take in the liberal amount of money from the eggs and dairy products that we could sell and that people clamor for, because we would not attend to getting ready for such trade; yet, there are many ways at hand, in reach of the very poorest in pocket book, for getting ahead.

REDUCED FARES TO CHICAGO STOCK SHOW.

Railroads entering Chicago have announced preliminary reduced excursion rates over their lines during the International Live Stock Exposition, December 2nd to December 9th, as an inducement to their patrons to attend the greatest agricultural show in the world.

An open rate of a fare and one-third for the round trip from points in Western Passenger Association territory, Missouri river and East, has been granted. The Central Passenger Association lines have authorized a one and one-half fare for the round trip from Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and Lower Michigan; also from Louisville, Kentucky, St. Louis and Hannibal, Mo. and Keokuk, Iowa. Children will be carried for half fare.

These special tickets will be sold from December 1st to 5th, inclusive, with final return limit of December 11th. Application has been made for still further concessions.

This action on the part of the railroad companies offers an unrivaled opportunity for an economical trip to the metropolis and the witnessing of the most spectacular exhibition of agricultural products ever staged. Brilliant evening entertainments in the vast amphitheatre insure a season of pleasure as well as instruction and profit. Join the crowds and get the benefit of the special excursion rates.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Federal Aid Road No. 64, Sections A and B Crawford and Otsego Counties, Michigan.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Board of County Road Commissioners of Crawford County, Grayling, Michigan, until 11:30 o'clock a. m. Central Standard Time, Thursday, December 7th, 1922, by Frank F. Rogers, State Highway Commissioner, for improving 7.255 miles of road in Frederic, Maple Forest, and Otsego Townships, Crawford and Otsego Counties, Michigan.

The work will consist of shaping the road, constructing the necessary drainage structures, and surfacing to a width of eighteen feet (18') with gravel. Alternate bids will be received for surfacing with stone-gravel.

Plans may be examined and instructions to bidders, specifications and proposal blanks obtained at the office of the Board of County Road Commissioners of Crawford County, Grayling, Michigan; at the office of the Board of County Road Commissioners of Otsego County, Grayling, Michigan; at the District Office of the State Highway Department, Comstock Building, Alpena, Michigan; and at the office of the State Highway Department, Lansing, Michigan. Plans will be furnished by the undersigned upon receipt of a deposit of Five Dollars (\$5.00) which will be refunded upon their safe return.

A certified check in the sum of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) made payable to Frank F. Rogers, State Highway Commissioner, must accompany each proposal.

The right is reserved to reject any or all proposals.

FRANK F. ROGERS,
State Highway Comm'r.,
Lansing, Michigan,
November 19, 1922.

A NOBLE ROMAN.
Retirement of Senator Oscar Underwood from leadership on the Democratic side of the Senate will be a public loss. However much Republicans may differ with Underwood on economics, particularly the tariff, they recognize his abilities and his sincerity. He is not a shyster in politics.

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CHAMBERLAIN'S TABLETS

ATTENTION! NORTHERN FARMERS.

We are paying cash for 8' Jack Pine Box Bolts. Write us for particulars. Hine Lumber Company, Bay City, Michigan. 11-9-3.

PROBATE NOTICE.

State of Michigan,
The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

At a session of said court, held at the probate office in the Village of Grayling, in said county, on the sixth day of November A. D. 1922.

Present: Hon. George Sorenson, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William V. Wheeler, deceased.

Louis A. Gardner, (Administrator), having filed in said court his final administration account, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It is ordered, that the fourth day of December, A. D. 1922, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examination and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

George Sorenson,
Judge of Probate.

A true copy.
George Sorenson,
Judge of Probate. 11-9-3.

State of Michigan,
The Circuit Court for the County of Crawford, In Chancery.

Ida E. Parker, Plaintiff,
vs.
Matthew H. Parker, Defendant.

Suit pending in the Circuit Court for Crawford County, In Chancery, on the 10th day of November, A. D. 1922 at the Village of Grayling, in said county.

It satisfactorily appearing to the court by affidavit on file that a chancery summons has been duly issued out of and under the seal of said court for the appearance of said defendant therein, and that the same could not be served on said defendant because that after diligent search and inquiry it could not be ascertained in what state or country the defendant resides, or the whereabouts of the defendant learned, and that said chancery summons has been returned by the sheriff of said county with his certificate thereon endorsed that after diligent search and inquiry he was unable to find the defendant within the State of Michigan, or before the return day of said summons, on motion of Homer L. Fitch, attorney for the plaintiff, it is ordered, that the said defendant, Matthew H. Parker, cause his appearance to be entered in this cause within three months after the date of this order, and in case of his appearance that he cause his answer to the plaintiff's bill of complaint to be filed, and a copy thereof served on the plaintiff's attorney, within twenty days after service on him of a copy of the bill of complaint of this order, and that in default thereof said bill be taken as confessed by said defendant.

And on like motion it is further ordered that within twenty days after the date hereof, the plaintiff cause a notice of this order to be published in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed, published, and circulating in said county of Crawford, and least once in each week for six weeks in succession, and that he cause a copy of this order to be personally served upon said defendant, at least twenty days before the time above prescribed for his appearance.

And on like motion, it is further ordered, that the said plaintiff cause a copy of this order to be mailed to said defendant, at his last known postoffice address, by registered mail, and a return receipt demanded, at least twenty days before the date herein prescribed for his appearance.

Guy E. Smith,
Circuit Judge.

Homer L. Fitch,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
Business Address: Grayling, Mich.
Attest: A true copy,
Frank Sales, Clerk. 11-16-6.

MORTGAGE SALE.
Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made and executed by Lars Brolin, late of the Village of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan, to Richard D. Connine, of the Village of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan, dated May 15th, A. D. 1920, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Crawford County, Michigan, on the 27th day of July, A. D. 1920, at 2 o'clock, p. m., in liber H. of mortgages on page 334, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid, at the date of this notice, for principal and interest, the sum of two hundred twenty-eight and 23-100 (\$228.23) Dollars, and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by such mortgage, or any part thereof;

Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and of the statutes of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given, that on Saturday, the 30th day of December, A. D. 1922, at 12 o'clock noon, Central Standard Time, at the easternly or Michigan Avenue entrance to the Village of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan, (that is, the building where the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford is held), I shall sell at public vendue, to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due on said mortgage and all legal costs on said mortgage, and attorney's fees, which said premises are situated in the Township of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan, and described as follows:

Commencing at a point, one thousand three hundred twenty-nine (1329) feet east and sixty six (66) feet north of the South one-eighth (1-8) post between sections seven (7) and eight (8), and running thence north five hundred eighty-nine feet thence west one hundred forty-eight (148) feet, thence south five hundred eighty-nine (589) feet, thence east one hundred forty-eight (148) feet to the place of beginning, containing two acres of land, all being a part of the South one-half (S 1/2) of the North-west quarter (N. W. 1/4) of the south-west quarter (S. W. 1/4) of section eight (8) of township twenty-six (26) North of Range Three (3) West.

Dated at Grayling, Michigan, September 22nd, A. D. 1922.

Richard D. Connine,
Mortgagee.

Harry J. Connine,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
320-22 1/2
Detroit Michigan. 9-28-13.

THE BEST TEST.

Is the Test of Time.

Years ago Peter Wm. Christenson of Chestnut St., Grayling told of a good result from using Doan's Kidney Pills. Now Mr. Christenson confirms the former statement—says there has been no return of the trouble. Can Grayling people ask for more convincing testimony?

"I used Doan's Kidney Pills on different occasions and they have always proven of great benefit to me," says Mr. Christenson. "When my back was weak and lame and the kidney secretions were too frequent in action, a box or so of Doan's always cured the complaint."

The above statement was given October 11, 1916 and on April 28, 1920 Mr. Christenson said: "Doan's Kidney Pills are one good kidney medicine. They cured me in good shape so I am glad to recommend them."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Christenson had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

—Advertisement.

State of Michigan,
The Circuit Court for the County of Crawford, In Chancery.

Elmer Head, Plaintiff,
vs.
Julius Ruby and his wife whose first name is unknown and their unknown heirs, legatees, devisees, and assigns, and Sarah J. Baker and her unknown heirs, legatees, devisees and assigns, Defendants.

At a session of said court held at the court house in the village of Grayling, Michigan, on the 18th day of September, A. D. 1922.

Present: Hon. Guy E. Smith, Circuit Judge.

In this cause it appearing to the satisfaction of the court now here that Julius Ruby and his wife whose first name is unknown, cannot be found, and that Sarah J. Baker cannot be found, and that it cannot be ascertained in what state or country said defendants or their unknown heirs legatees, devisees or assigns reside, and that plaintiff, after diligent search and inquiry, has been unable to ascertain whether the above named defendants or either of them left any last will or testament, or whether they have any personal representatives or heirs living and, if so, where they, or any of them reside, or whether their right, title or interest in and to said lands or any part thereof, or whether or not in their lifetime they conveyed or assigned any apparent right, title or interest which they, or any of them, might have had in and to said lands or any part thereof.

Therefore, on motion of Hiram R. Smith, attorney for plaintiff, it is ordered that the appearance of said defendants be entered in said cause within three months from this date, that in case of their appearance they shall cause their answer to said bill of complaint to be filed and served in accordance with the rules of court pertaining thereto and the statutes of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided and that in default thereof the said bill be taken as confessed by said defendants and each of them respectively.

It is further ordered that within forty days from date of this order that said plaintiff cause a copy thereof to be published in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Crawford, and that such publication be continued therein once each week for six weeks in succession.

Guy E. Smith,
Circuit Judge.

Hiram R. Smith,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
Business Address:
Roscommon, Mich.

The bill of complaint is filed in the above cause to clear title to the following real estate, located in said county of Crawford:—The South-west quarter of section thirty-six, township twenty-five north, range two west.

Frank Sales,
County Clerk. 10-12-7.

State of Michigan,
The Circuit Court for the County of Crawford, In Chancery.

Elmer Head, Plaintiff,
vs.
Verner H. Crankshaw and his wife whose first name is unknown, and their unknown heirs, legatees, devisees, and assigns, Defendants.

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Present: Hon. Guy E. Smith, Circuit Judge.

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Therefore, on motion of Hiram R. Smith, attorney for plaintiff, it is ordered that the appearance of said defendants be entered in said cause within three months from this date, that in case of their appearance they shall cause their answer to said bill of complaint to be filed and served in accordance with the rules of court pertaining thereto and the statutes of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided and that in default thereof the said bill be taken as confessed by said defendants and each of them respectively.

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Present: Hon. Guy E. Smith, Circuit Judge.

In this cause it appearing to the satisfaction of the court now here that Verner H. Crankshaw and his wife whose first name is unknown, cannot be found and that it cannot be ascertained in what state or country said defendants or their unknown heirs, legatees, devisees or assigns reside, and that plaintiff, after diligent search and inquiry has been unable to ascertain whether the above named defendants or either of them left any last will or testament or whether they have any personal representatives or heirs living and, if so, where they, or any of them, reside, or whether their right, title or interest in and to said lands if any, was disposed of by will or whether or not in their lifetime they conveyed or assigned any apparent right, title or interest which they or any of them might have had in and to said lands or any part thereof.

Therefore, on motion of Hiram R. Smith, attorney for plaintiff, it is ordered that the appearance of said defendants be entered in said cause within three months from this date, that in case of their appearance they shall cause their answer to said bill of complaint to be filed and served in accordance with the rules of court pertaining thereto and the statutes of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided and that in default thereof the said bill be taken as confessed by said defendants and each of them respectively.

It is further ordered that within forty days from date of this order that said plaintiff cause a copy thereof to be published in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Crawford, and that such publication be continued therein once each week for six weeks in succession.

Guy E. Smith,
Circuit Judge.

Hiram R. Smith,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
Business Address:
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The bill of complaint is filed in the above entitled cause to clear the title to the following described real estate located in said county of Crawford:—The Southeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of section twenty-nine, township twenty-five north, range two west.

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PROBATE NOTICE.

State of Michigan.

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

At a session of said court, held at the probate office, in the Village of Grayling, in said county, on the sixth day of November A. D. 1922.

Present: Hon. George Sorenson, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Rosa Behrman, deceased.

Fred Behrman having filed in said court his petition praying that said court adjudicate and determine who were at the time of her death the legal heirs of said deceased and entitled to inherit the real estate of which said deceased died seized.

It is ordered, that the fourth day of December, A. D. 1922, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

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